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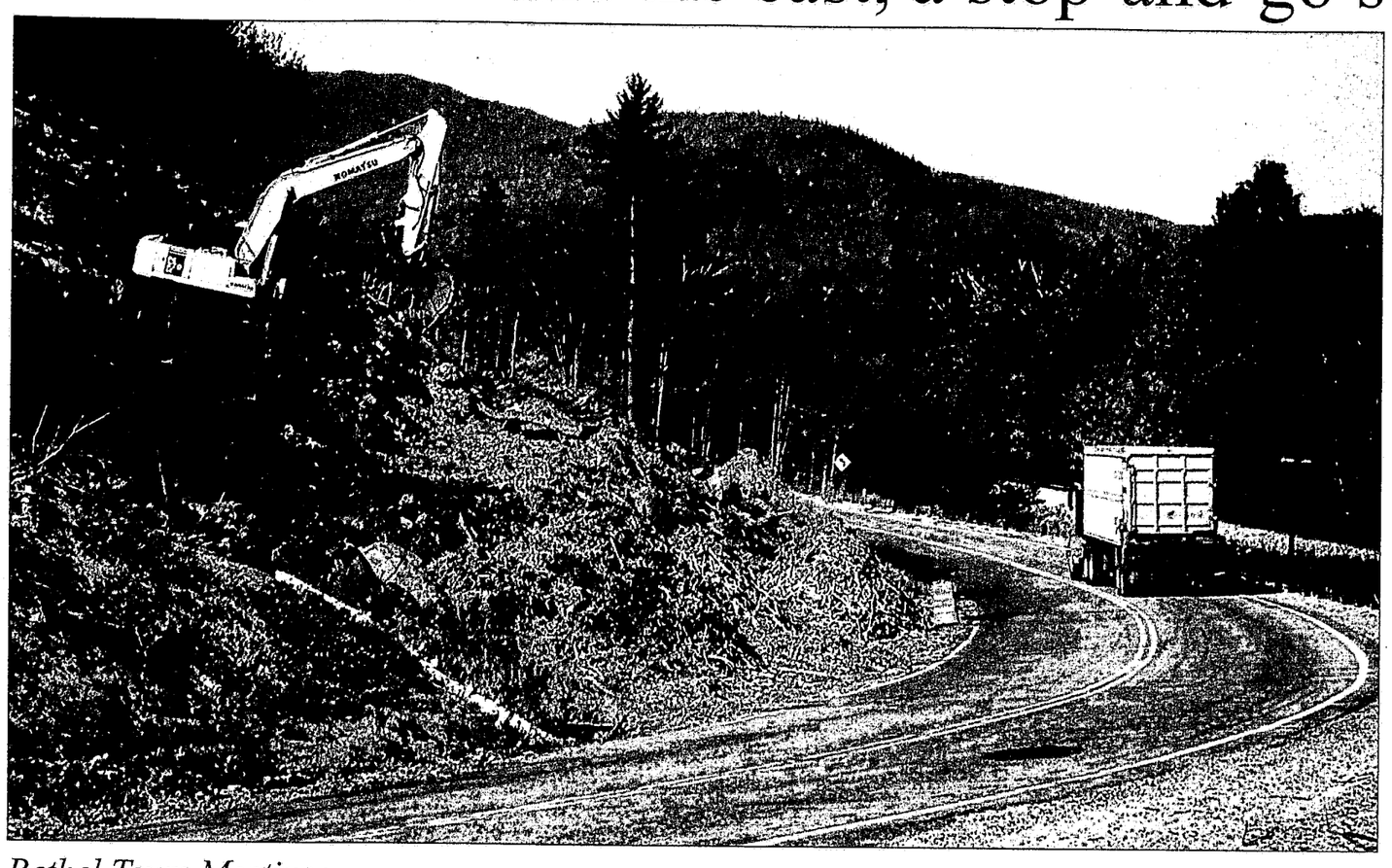
To the west and the east, a stop-and-go summer ahead



Work on a major Route 2 improvement project between Bethel and Gilead has brought with it the inevitable traffic delays, but drivers can take some compensation in enjoying the new vistas opened by the work. The $7.4 million project includes widening and straightening some of the sharp curves on the road. The work is expected to be completed by contractor H.E. Sargent in October, 2005. Beginning this week drivers headed east from Bethel on Route 2 can also expect to encounter construction. Work has started on a smaller project to improve the road in Hanover and Rumford. That project area begins near Stony Brook Campground and extends east toward Rumford for 8.3 miles. The project calls for repairing culverts and roadside guardrails, adding shim to level the existing road surface, and putting down a layer of new pavement. The work is part of a larger contract that also will provide for improvements to Route 17 in Mexico and Roxbury and for work on Route 5 in Rumford. As an economy measure, MDOT combined the contracts for the work on US Route 2, Route 5 and Route 17 into a single contract. That contract, awarded to Pike Industries of Lewiston on a bid of just over $2.6-million, calls for completion of work on all three projects by early September.

(Photo by Alison Aloisio)

Bethel Town Meeting:

Voters to make the call on recall ordinance

By MICHAEL DANIELS

Bethel voters will decide at their June 9 annual Town Meeting if they wish to adopt an ordinance for the recall of elected municipal officials.

Town selectmen voted unanimously Monday to place the article on the warrant.

The vote was prompted by a petition circulated by Haley Tripp, wife of former Police Chief Darren Tripp. Chief Tripp was fired by Town Manager Scott Cole on Feb. 12 and the firing was later upheld by a 3-2 vote of the selectmen.

Bethel's annual Town Meeting takes place over two days, with elections and referendum items (if any) voted on a Tuesday, and the discussion and voting for the remaining warrant articles the following evening.

The selectmen said they would have preferred to place the recall ordinance on the referendum, since more people tend to turn out for that vote than show up for the sit-down portion of Town Meeting.

"We get a much better cross section of the population than we do at Town Meeting," said Dutch Dresser, chairman of the Board of Selectmen.

Reggie Brown agreed: "My preference would be to have that on a referendum," he said.

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W'stock selectmen blast school budget hikes

By ALISON ALOISIO

Woodstock selectmen and two Woodstock school directors Tuesday aired their opposing views — and shared their frustrations — over the SAD44 budget.

Selectman Steve Bies has contacted municipal officials in all SAD44 towns, he said, to encourage them to attend Monday's public hearing on the proposed $9.3 million general fund budget and $222,000 adult education budget.

Bies opposes the proposal, which would increase the average local assessment by 4.85 percent. District residents will vote on the budget in a June 8 referendum.

Of the five district towns, Woodstock would see the greatest increase in assessment this year — 9.26 percent. Other town assessment percentages are Andover, 7.84 percent; Bethel, 4.88; Greenwood, 7.10; and Newry, 1.88.

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> SELECTMAN STEVE BIES

School directors Marcel Polak and Ron Deegan attended Tuesday's selectmen's meeting to discuss the issue.

Polak and Deegan said the School Board, which approved the proposal unanimously, had cut the budget back as much as it could without cutting student programs.

They said there was little flexibility because of contractual agreements and state and federal mandates that must be met to earn subsidy funding.

Polak also said the state has steadily dropped its share of district funding over the years, leaving local towns to pick up the difference. This year, after the board had put together a tentative budget, the Legislature cut another $26,000 in state aid to SAD44.

If voters defeated the budget, Polak said, the board would have to bring back almost the same proposal for another vote because there is so little room to cut.

But Bies wasn't buying it. He said local voters are entitled to react to proposals that increase taxes the same way as the state has.

"If the state government can say, 'We can't keep going,' then we can say, 'We can't keep going,'" he said. "We have that right."

It would then be up to the School Board to make cuts to bring the bottom line to a level voters could accept, he said.

Bies said this is the third year he has attended SAD44 budget workshops to ask the board to lower the increases. This year, he said, many directors "gave me the impression they weren't listening. They were just going through the motions."

Polak said a more ideal time

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Scouts' projects will add grace to pathway

By MICHAEL DANIELS

The pathway in Bethel station — an already popular meeting and recreating spot for local residents and visitors — will be even more attractive by summer's end.

Two local Boy Scouts, Jason Howe and Brandon Roberts, have undertaken Eagle Scout projects targeted at the Davis Park end of the pathway. Both young men are from Troop 565 of Bethel.

Roberts has proposed constructing a nine-by-nine foot trellis/arbor to shade the park bench closest to the pathway's small covered bridge.

The trellis would utilize latticework, picking up and continuing a design detail from the bridge.

"If my troop and I build the trellis it would add character and shade to the walkway. It would also be a perfect place for vines to grow, which would further shade the bench," Roberts wrote in a proposal to the selectmen, who on Monday unanimously approved the plan.

Virginia creeper or another native vine will be planted to grow up the trellis, according to Jackie Cressy, of the Bethel Conservation Commission.

Roberts said he would seek donations of materials from local businesses, and fundraise to come up with any money that might be needed.

He estimates that the project will take a week to build, and said he hopes for it to be ready by the end of June.

The second Scout project is underway and already near-

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Fundraising underway for village clock

By ALISON ALOISIO

In addition to the new trellis/arbor and hedge along the pathway, Bethel stands to gain another upstanding amenity this year.

Fundraising is now underway for a Victorian clock that is expected to be placed on land donated by Key Bank in Bethel Village.

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Increased recreational activity can have a downside for wildlife

By ALISON ALOISIO

The cleaned-up Androscoggin River is attracting an increasing number of outdoor recreationists. But river and other nature-lovers should keep in mind the impact their presence may have on wildlife, said the keynote speaker at Friday's Androscoggin watershed conference.

The conference, held at the Bethel Inn, drew approximately 100 people from up and down the river. It was sponsored by the Androscoggin River Watershed Council. The event focused on wildlife in the watershed.

Judy Silverberg, the education and watchable wildlife coordinator for the New Hampshire Fish and Game Dept., opened the gathering.

She asked participants to think how they react when they see a wild creature, such as a moose: Do they take a photo from a distance, then go on their way? Or do they try to get ever-closer for that perfect shot?

Any time a human moves close enough to an animal to force it to move, the creature "burns up calories necessary for survival," she said.

Studies of eagles, for example, showed that the birds' temperatures and heart rates increased when canoeists came near their nests, said Silverberg.

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A TRIBUTE TO MOM

Austin Jodrey, a fifth-grader at the Crescent Park Elementary School in Bethel, lost his mother, Celina, in a car accident in early April. As a project in his "Explorations" art class with teacher Arla Patch, he painted a portrait of his mother. It will be displayed in the Explorations exhibit on Saturday from 2 to 4 p.m. at the Summit Hotel at Sunday River Ski Resort. The exhibit is dedicated to Celina Jodrey's memory. Austin wrote the following words to accompany his painting: "Dear Mom, I'm sad and I really miss you. I miss when we used to always watch the same shows every week. I miss just not having you around. I painted this picture of you so I could always remember the good things about you. I love you so much. Forever, Austin."

(Photo by Arla Patch)

Mahoosuc Kids Association
Annual Meeting
& Spring Celebration
Tuesday, May 25 @ 7pm
Crescent Park School
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EXPLORATIONS
CLASSES IN CREATIVE DEVELOPMENT
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Saturday, May 22
2-4 pm
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SUMMIT HOTEL
Sunday River Ski Resort
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Letters

ROAD CLOSING A LUDICROUS IDEA

To the Editor:

When I read Jeff Parsons' suggestion that the Town of Bethel close the Gould Academy section of Church Street to through traffic, I thought this article must be a belated April Fool's joke. I am astonished that this ludicrous notion should be considered front-page news, never mind actually being considered by town selectmen.

To eliminate a road that has been well traveled since Bethel was created, just because some children can't bother to look both ways before crossing the street, is beyond ridiculous. Any child capable of being potty trained can certainly master this skill.

Each and every one of us is ultimately responsible for his or her actions, privilege does not except anyone from this responsibility. Drivers must also exercise caution and care, but with a posted speed limit of 25 mph (15 where children are present), this road is perfectly safe for pedestrian and vehicular traffic, if everyone uses ordinary care and common sense.

Consider the problems already besieging the town; do we really need to create new issues, with absolutely no merits, for consideration by local government? I personally don't think so.

Chris Larson
Bethel

BRING THE TROOPS HOME

To the Editor:

Get our young men and women out of Iraq. We got Saddam for them, now it's time for the Iraqis to take care of themselves. Let their own people help put their country back the way they want it.

They speak the same language, they understand their culture, they don't even want us there.

My heart aches for the poor families who have lost sons and daughters, many in unbelievable brutal ways.

I, too, listen to another Father, and He says, "Enough!"

Sue Farrar
Bethel

FIRST HOUSE AND GARDEN TOUR

To the Editor:

The Bethel Historical Society and Regional History Center will host its first House and Garden Tour Friday and Saturday, June 18 and 19 from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. daily. The $15 admission includes a booklet describing the houses and a luncheon of spring salads.

Tickets will be sold the day of the tours at the society's Robinson House Gift Shop on Broad Street. The dozen houses on the tour illustrate Federal, Victorian, cottage and colonial revival architecture.

The first house on the tour is The Prodigal Inn & Gallery on Route 2. The Inn was recently featured as a film set for the movie, "The Twelve Dogs of Christmas."

Built in 1813, this house was turned 45 degrees and a Victorian front added in 1881. The house has served as a B&B since the 1970s and has recently been fully restored by its new owners.

English country gardens surround a Greek Revival Cape on Broad Street. The house built in the 1840s by a carriage maker has served as a blacksmith shop and tourist home.

The Rivendell House built in the 1860s is the traditional "big house, little house, back house, barn." Over the centuries the house has served as a residence, veterinary office, funeral home and now a B&B.

Four historic inns and B&B's are offering packages for the event.

The Suite on the Common, is located in a house built in 1900 as the Congregational Church parsonage.

The Sudbury Inn on lower Main Street was built in 1873 by the village shoemaker. It was expanded in 1913 and became the Maple Inn. The inn still has its original tin ceilings.

L'Auberge, located on Mill Hill, was built as a barn in 1860 and moved to its present location in town. It was converted to housing for the Bethel Inn employees around 1920. To entertain themselves the inn's employees staged plays in the upper loft. Juliet's balcony exists today.

The Perennial Inn in Rumford Point, built in 1884, was a working farm for nearly a century. The house was the home of a suffragette — the first woman in Maine to have a driver's license. The perennial gardens are over a century old.

Other lodging options are available by phoning the Bethel Area Chamber of Commerce Reservation Service at (800) 442-5826 or on-line at www.bethelmaine.com..

The House and Garden Tour will alternate annually with the Quilt Show.

Along with the formal tour, visitors can enjoy a self-guided walking tour of the Bethel historic district and antiquing.

Wendy Gray

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DON'T LET MEMORIAL DAY MEANING FADE

To the Editor:

Some traditions shouldn't be allowed to die or just fade away. Talk to the old-timers and veterans in any given town and they'll tell you wistfully that the Memorial Day parade is one of those customs that is receding into history and may soon be a thing of the past. The orders of march are getting shorter and shorter, the brass bands have thinned to a ragged few and are increasingly out of step, and the crowds that once lined the streets and packed the sidewalks are dwindling out of apathy.

This shameful trend has increased over the years. One can recall a time when the parade was flush with marchers, homemade floats and kids riding alongside on bicycles whose wheel spokes and handlebars were decked out in red, white and blue decorations.

It seems nobody misses watching the Memorial Day parade. We used to have a lot of crowds.

Established in 1868 on May 30 as Decoration Day, Memorial Day was originally dedicated to honor the Civil War dead. (Since the 1970s, Memorial Day has been converted to a Monday holiday, in effect creating a floating three-day weekend that has done as much to undermine the meaning of the occasion as it has enhanced department store sales.) Go into almost any town and somewhere, on a green or public square, you'll find a Civil War monument.

Of course, as time wore on and more wars were fought, the day's meaning was expanded to honor all those who have served, fought and died for the nation.

This year's Memorial Day should be especially poignant because hundreds of men and women have given their lives in Iraq and Afghanistan. The tug of politics and polarization cannot and should not dilute the special expression of prayer and gratitude reserved for those who've made the ultimate sacrifice, no matter the war.

Oliver Wendell Holmes Jr., a Civil War veteran who became one of the great U.S. Supreme Court justices, gave a speech on Memorial Day 1884, which has as much relevance now as it did then.

Speaking to the "indifferent inquirer" who wondered why Memorial Day was observed, Holmes declared that the day "celebrates and solemnly reaffirms .... a national act of enthusiasm and faith." He said a war can only be fought by those who strongly believe in something.

"More than that," he added, "you must be willing to commit yourself to a course, perhaps a long and hard one, without being able to foresee exactly where you will come out."

These words resonate in such uncertain times, but they can also get lost if a day of tradition is lost in the self-absorbed hubbub of barbecues and weekends at the lake.

Jerry Greenwell,
Bethel

THANKS FOR MAKING THE CAMP POSSIBLE

To the Editor:

To the residents of Bethel, Dr. Lennie Shaw, The Bethel Rotary Club, and of course Priscilla Thurston, I am writing to pass on our sincere appreciation for the continued and renewed relationship between deserving children of Bethel and Camp Susan Curtis. This summer will mark our 30th year of providing a tuition-free summer camp and year-round activities for 12,000 Maine children living in poverty.

Priscilla's story of success is evidence of the fact that when a caring community, dedicated school and counseling professionals, and a camp designed to build the self-esteem of at-risk children work together, the results are something everyone can be proud of.

I have the privilege of working with people in every community in the state of Maine that, much like Bethel, represent and support the 550 children that come to Camp Susan Curtis each summer.

I will say that my experience with Bethel has been above any other community that I have worked with. People seem to care about their neighbors, are willing to make an effort to help and generally take a great deal of pride in their community.

This was no more evident than in Dr. Shaw and his family allowing us to take part in the Rebecca Shaw Memorial Ski Day. Not more than a year after their tragedy, the Shaws and their extended family are turning her passing into a way to help people. It is just one example of the "spirit" that resides in the Bethel area.

Because of the strengthening of our relationship between Camp Susan Curtis and Bethel area schools, there will be eight new campers attending this summer and a total of 12 kids, ages 8-15 that will attend for at least two weeks. I look forward to working with such a fine community to make each of these deserving children the next Priscilla Thurston success story.

Patrick Carson
Director, Camp Susan Curtis

HOWARD COLE AND EVELYN NICKERSON

To the Editor:

Last week Howard Cole celebrated his 90th birthday. I just wanted to congratulate him on making this milestone and to observe what a useful citizen he has been throughout his long and busy life.

He has been active in many organizations and causes. At the Bethel Historical Society, we are particularly grateful for his devoted service as chairman of our Annual Fund campaign for many years. He has also been a generous donor to the society and shares my interest in railroads and their history.

Howard, may you have many more happy and healthy times to come.

I also would like to recall Evelyn Nickerson, who died this week.

For a few years in the 1970s, she and her husband maintained the Dr. Moses Mason House and its grounds. They did a fine job and I will always recall how careful "Ev" was to make certain the house was spotless. I don't think it was ever as clean before or after.

She also had a great sense of humor and a thoroughly positive attitude about life despite the challenges she faced toward the end of her days.

I enjoyed talking with her through the years and know she will be sorely missed by her family and friends.

Stan Howe
Bethel

Budget

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for residents to provide input on the budget is earlier in the process, when the Finance Committee holds its meetings.

Bies said if the budget should be voted down, he would favor bringing a new proposal back to voters in the format of a district budget meeting, so it could be discussed in open forum before the vote.

The district used that process in the past, but a district-wide vote several years ago changed the method to a referendum in individual towns.

Other officials weigh in

Vern Maxfield, Woodstock town manager, said many citizens in the town have complained about this year's school budget.

Selectman Leon Poland said that from a municipal perspective, it is frustrating to be unable to fix roads that are in poor condition because so much of the town's money (66 percent) goes to the schools.

New selectman Judy Bennett said she did not think the towns are getting their money's worth in education.

"The final product is not very good at Telstar," she said. "The SAT scores are very low."

Polak replied that money in this year's budget has been allocated to address that.

"We're reorganizing the administration to give better accountability," he said. "If we don't do that, we don't have the possibility of improving."

The public hearing on the school budget is scheduled for 7 p.m. Monday at the Telstar High School library. Information flyers outlining the budget were mailed to district residents this week.

Recall

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But to be included on the referendum warrant, an article must be presented at least 45 days prior to the referendum, to allow time for absentee ballots to be prepared and circulated.

Since the recall ordinance was submitted too late to go to referendum, the selectmen opted to place it instead on the Town Meeting warrant.

Ironically, on April 20 Haley Tripp asked the selectmen to place a recall ordinance on the Town Meeting warrant. They refused, however, forcing her to collect signatures for a petition. Had the selectmen agreed at that point to put the ordinance to voters, there would have been time to include it as a referendum item.

There was some discussion at Monday's meeting of requesting the Town Meeting moderator to take the matter up on secret ballot, but no decision was reached.

Hearing scheduled

The recall ordinance will be the subject of a public hearing, set for June 7, at 7 p.m. in the Town Office meeting room.

Also up for discussion at that meeting will be proposed amendments to the town's Site Plan Review Ordinance.

The amendments seek to delineate more thoroughly and precisely the relationship between the town Planning Board and Board of Appeals, and the extent of the latter board's authority to reverse the former board's decisions.

The amendments also attempt to define more clearly the meaning of the words "variance" and "waiver," and to establish written rules for administering such requests.

Our Back Pages

Compiled by JOHN K. BROWN

10 years ago: Tom Farrar of West Paris had tracked and killed the bear believed to have killed three sheep in Albany.

A case of measles prompted Hebron Academy to cancel its final week of sports events.

Recipients of the annual Bethel Area Chamber of Commerce Awards were as follows: Archie Lovejoy, Wood Products Employee of the Year; staff of Crescent Park School, special recognition; Sarah Coolidge and Josh Fogg, Student Citizenship Awards: Maryvonne Wheeler, Oxford County United Way's Hugh J. Chisholm Award; John Devino, Ski Service Award; Joan Putnam, Hospitality Employee of the Year; Tom McInness, for planning, organizing and implementing new community events; Helen Saunders, Senior Citizen Award; Kenneth and Gwyneth Bohr, Henry H. Hastings Award for Citizenship; Herbert Lyon, Retail and Service Employee of the Year.

Births: Elizabeth Rose Donovan, J. Victoria Brooke Cookson, Isaac Dow, Dylan Matthew Bragg.

Deaths: Bruce W. Boyce, Wesley S. Bennoch, J. Burton Abbott, Patrick Kearney, Jr., Richard R. Rountree Jr.

20 years ago: Jay Gauthier joined the staff at the Bethel Inn as manager of Millbrook Tavern.

Deaths: Raymond N. Tripp Sr., Mildred E. Kennison, Onel L. Bachelder.

30 years ago: The Telstar Rebels advanced to the State Class C baseball playoffs as they annexed the Mountain Valley Conference crown with a 7-3 win over Winthrop.

Chris Caton, daughter of the Rev. and Mrs. Thomas Caton, was Miss Poppy 1974 representing Mundt-Allen Unit. Poppy Girl for the Jackson-Silver Unit was Lee Ann Patten, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Patten.

Robert Keniston was selected as president of the Riverside Cemetery Association.

Birth: Cesare Fernando DiBattista.

40 years ago: State Trooper William G. Bickford had been transferred to South Paris effective June 1, having been in Bethel since 1958. State Trooper Victor Greenleaf of Hallowell was assigned as his successor.

Work on the construction of new steps at West Parish Congregational Church was progressing well. The project was a gift from Gould Academy.

Deaths: Mrs. G. Bertrand Whitman, Dannie Bryant, William H. Mills.

50 years ago: A fire in the shavings house at the L.E. Davis Lumber Co. was extinguished before great damage resulted. There was some water damage in the boiler room.

Paris High School defeated Gould Academy 7-4 in an SPA baseball playoff. During regular season competition Gould had twice defeated Paris.

Births: Miss Cornelia B. Chapman, Miss Lena S. York, Dr. Fred L. Smalley, Miss Arlene Thurston Gray.

60 years ago: L.E. Davis' planer mill, lumberyard and home on the Middle Intervale Road were destroyed by fire. The fire spread to the woods, and other nearby homes were threatened.

70 years ago: The Boy Scouts attended the annual jamboree of the Pine Tree Council, Boys Scouts of America, held in Lewiston.

80 years ago: Rain, cold and heavy frosts were prevalent the latter part of May.

Elwyn L. Wilson received his AB degree at Bates College.

90 years ago: The Lyon Farm on Grover Hill was sold to Harry Lyon.

100 years ago: Nelson Springer's house on Main Street was under construction (now Holidae House).

Death: Jonathan B. Smith.

Correction: In last week's Looking Back news for 40 years ago the names and ages of those injured in an accident on the Gore Road should have been: Tommy Sweetser, 19, of Bethel; James M. Keen, 19, Bethel; Perley W. Robinson, 23, West Sumner; and Roger W. Benson, 19.

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Briefly

Summer hours in Woodstock

WOODSTOCK — Selectmen voted Tuesday to try different office hours for the summer months, beginning June 1. The office will open at 8:30 a.m. and close at 4:30 p.m. If the new schedule doesn't work out well, said Town Manager Vern Maxfield, it will be changed back. He asked for the change to take advantage of daylight savings hours. There is little office traffic between 4:30 and 5 p.m., he said. In other business, selectmen learned the town will receive $34,774 in reimbursement funds to cover the cost of repairs to town roads in connection with the rain storm of December. They also learned of donations of $2,500 each to the community activity center and the fire station by resident Phil Gut.

Another guilty plea in robbery

PARIS — A second man has pled guilty in connection with a December robbery at the Big Apple on Railroad Street. Daniel Patrick Shannon, 19, of Rockland, Mass. pled guilty April 29 to a Class B felony count of robbery and theft by receiving stolen property. In exchange for the guilty pleas, another felony charge of unlawful possession of heroin against Shannon was dropped. He and Brian E. Kinlin Jr., 19, also of Rockland, robbed the store Dec. 3 at gunpoint. They were later apprehended on Route 26 in West Paris. Kinlin pled guilty April 21 to a Class A felony count of robbery and a Class B felony count of receiving stolen property. Both men are scheduled to be sentenced in August.

BHS House and Garden Tour

BETHEL — The Bethel Historical Society and Regional History Center will host its first House and Garden Tour Friday and Saturday, June 18 and 19 from 10 to 4 p.m. The $15 admission includes a booklet describing the houses and a luncheon of spring salads. Tickets will be sold the day of the tours at the society's Robinson House Gift Shop on Broad Street. The dozen houses on the tour illustrate Federal, Victorian, cottage and colonial revival architecture. Among the houses on the tour are The Prodigal Inn & Gallery, The Rivendell House, The Sudbury Inn and L'Auberge. For more information, see the letter to the editor on the facing page.

Texas firm buys ASC property

KILLINGTON, Vt. — A Texas company has taken control of 469 acres at the base of the Killington ski resort, relieving the parent American Skiing Company of millions of dollars of debt. As part of the deal between Killington Ltd. and a new company called SP Land Co. of Dallas, SP Land will take over ASC's debt to Fleet Bank. ASC was in default on loans of $78 million to that bank, at interest rates of up to 29 percent, according to the company's most recent financial report. The Eiger Fund, a Dallas-based real estate investment group with which SP Land is affiliated, has been one of Killington's creditors since 2000. A subsidiary of the Eiger Fund has worked with Killington to restructure the debt of the parent company since 2002. The deal also means ASC is no longer in default on any loans, for the first time in six years, he said "This is a partnership that is mutually beneficial because it is going to push Killington forward," said Killington President Allen Wilson. "For SP Land Co. to be successful, Killington has to be successful and vice versa." ASC's financial troubles have made it impossible for Killington to invest in the large-scale development of a ski village that was first suggested five years ago. SP Land Co. president Steven Selbo said he wasn't committed to following the shelved ski village blueprints to the letter, but he called this vision for Killington's future a "good place to start." He said he would soon meet with town officials to try to extend the existing permits for the village. The land at the base of Killington Mountain recently acquired by SP Land Co. would lend itself the development of hotels, townhouses, and condominiums within easy access of golf and ski slopes, Wilson said.

Lilac Festival scheduled

PARIS — The McLaughlin Foundation will celebrate its eighth Lilac Festival on Memorial Day weekend, May 29-31. New to the festival this year will be a book signing by Maine author Jane Lamb on Sunday, and a 5K walk/run on Monday morning. This year's festival is sponsored by Androscoggin Home Care and Hospice. Author Jane Lamb's new release from Downeast Books, "The Grand Masters of Maine Gardening: And Some of Their Disciples" is a collection of her profiles of Maine's most notable gardens or premier gardeners, including Currier McEwen, Bernard McLaughlin, Roger Luce, and Patrick Chassé, among others. Lamb will sign books from 10 to noon Sunday. Copies of the book (hardbound, $30) will be available for purchase. The first annual 5K Lilac Lap walk /run, a fundraiser for McLaughlin, is set for 8 a.m. May 31. The race route will follow quiet neighborhood roads, with race start and finish at the garden. The route includes up- and downhill stretches, rest/water stations, and the scent of lilacs. Syringa Plus in West Newbury, Mass., Fox Hill Nursery in Freeport, and Bailey Nursery (the event sponsor) in St. Paul, Minn. have donated more than 60 lilac plants as prizes. Race registration forms are available at the McLaughlin Foundation, 97 Main St. South Paris, and at www.mclaughlingarden.org. Entry fees: $10 adults, $5 kids under 12. The first 200 pre-registered will receive a free Lilac Lap T-Shirt. As in past lilac festivals, there will be lilac care and maintenance workshops, garden tours, and periodic showings of the 1928 silent film "Jeannine, I Dream of Lilac Time" starring Colleen Moore and Gary Cooper throughout Saturday and Sunday. Honoring the day, the McLaughlin Foundation will donate a lilac to the Maine Veterans' Home on High Street. The gift shop and plant sales will open at 9 a.m. all three days. The Garden Café will be serving light lunches and refreshments. A $3 donation is requested for the event.

Loon plate population declining

AUGUSTA — Maine's loon license plate now seem as threatened as the endangered and threatened species it was designed to help, according to the Department of Inland Fisheries and Wildlife. The plate was introduced in 1994, to help protect wildlife and state parks. Its popularity peaked in 1998 with more than 110,000 plates. But the first threat came when the general issue chickadee plate was introduced. Sales of the loon plate dropped by nearly 20 percent in two years, to under 90,000. Since then, other plates have been introduced (including the University of Maine and lobster plates), and they cut loon sales down to 79,704 in 2002. When registering a car, motorists have the option of purchasing the loon plates for $20, then renewing each year for $15. The yearly payment returns $8.40 to the Department of Conservation and $5.60 to IFW. IFW dedicates the money to the nongame and endangered wildlife fund. The plate sales have funded many wildlife study and survey projects, according to IFW.

From the Bethel Police Log:

Tuesday, May 11

At 3:15 p.m. police received a report of an assault on a school bus on Route 2. The subject was taken to Stephens Memorial Hospital by Bethel Rescue. The case is under investigation.

Wednesday, May 12

At 11:35 p.m. on Route 2 police charged Richard Eugene Marquis, 60, of Houston, Tex. with OUI.

Saturday, May 15

At 6:50 p.m. police stopped a subject for speeding on Route 2. Carle A. Robbins, 44, of Troy was charged with operating after suspension and possession of a usable amount of marijuana.

At 10:30 p.m. police responded to a car/pole accident on Vernon Street. Charles H. Dresser, 19, of Bethel was charged with OUI and leaving the scene of a property damage accident.

Sunday, May 16

At 5:28 p.m. police received a complaint of multiple ATVs operating on the Parkway and at a business. The officer spoke to the operators at length but did not issue summonses. A game warden was also contacted.

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Wildlife

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And near hiking trails, the density of nesting songbirds declines. "If parents (of nestlings) are disturbed, they are reluctant to return," she said. In addition, fledgings disturbed by humans may end up leaving their nest prematurely.

Silverberg said birdwatchers should ask themselves, "Is it really necessary to check this species of bird off my list?" before they decide to get too close.

Recreationists can also affect wildlife in the winter months. Snowmobilers crossing fields, for example, may crush the small wildlife that live beneath the snow. And in the western U.S., said Silverberg, a study found cross-country skiers had a negative impact on deer yards.

She said some recreational activities may have more of an impact than others, but "we must not view one in isolation. They generally compound each other."

Does this mean humans don't belong in wild habitats at all?

No, said Silverberg. "Life would not be the same without being able to view wildlife," she said. "But we can make a difference by how we choose to recreate. We see (wildlife) and go home. The animals *are* home."

Following Silverberg's talk, participants in the daylong conference chose among a dozen differences presentations to attend during the daylong event. Wildlife topics included coyotes, moose, bear, wild turkeys, loons, songbirds, fish raptors and eagles. Habitat protection was also discussed.

Another program on wildlife is planned for the fall, according to Chuck Knox, ARWC executive director. It will likely take the form of a weekend-long field trip in the watershed to teach participants how to recognize key wildlife habitat that should be protected, such as deer yards.

And in keeping with Silverberg's message, any wildlife watching will take place only from a distance, he said.

Projects

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ing completion.

Jason Howe is installing a 100-foot-long hedge (also native plants) to provide a visual and sound buffer between the pathway and the skateboard park.

The hedge also provides a safety barrier between the pathway and park — and is a much more attractive alternative than a guardrail would be.

The hedge is almost three-quarters complete, with another six to seven shrubs to be planted by the end of the month.

Cressy and fellow Conservation Commission member Walter Hatch are advising the scouts on their projects and serving as liaisons with the town.

Gene Tanguay is scoutmaster for Troop 565. "The boys have tried to help the community out," he said. "And they have been having fun, but it's just one aspect of what scouting is all about."

Clock

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The clock, approximately 10 feet tall, would be located on the corner of Main, High and Mechanic streets.

It will be similar in appearance to clocks in the villages of Dixfield and Gorham, N.H.

The clock project is spearheaded by the Bethel Rotary Club, which seeks to raise $15,000 to fund it. About one-third of that has been raised so far, according to Rotarian Al Barth.

The Bethel Board of Selectmen and town residents voted last year to accept the clock. The Rotary Club will continue to provide funds to support its maintenance.

Barth said it is hoped the clock can be put in place later this year, with a formal dedication next year.

The club undertook the project as part of its 30th anniversary celebration this year, and in recognition of the 100th anniversary in 2005 of the Rotary International organization.

Anyone wishing to donate to the clock fund may send contributions to the Bethel Rotary Clock Fund, P.O. Box 471, Bethel 04217.

In our back yard:

Protect your back yard when opening up your cottage

After a long Maine winter it's that time of year again when the earth starts to warm and the lakes shed their icy coats. Soon it will be time to have fun in the sun; swimming, boating and fishing at your summer retreat. But first there is much work to be done: the cottage needs to be prepared for the season; the waterline needs to be hooked up; the dock needs to be installed; and boats need to be launched.

When going through this yearly ritual, it is important to consider possible harm to streams and lakes and the surrounding environment from these activities. After all, one of the main reasons you go to the cottage is to enjoy the area's unspoiled beauty.

With regard to repair and maintenance to your retreat's buildings and grounds, take care when using cleaning agents, paints and stains. Use natural products like baking soda and lemon juice when cleaning. More information on making your own cleaning products from less harmful materials can be found at www.newdream.org/newsletter/greencleaning.html.

When using paints and stains, consider using earth tone colors so that buildings and other structures will blend better with the natural shoreline. Paint or stain docks away from the lake and allow at least 14 days of drying time before putting them in the water. Make sure to clean brushes, etc., away from the water to prevent materials from washing into the lake.

This may be a surprise to you, but when cleaning up winter debris on the property, do not rake up the duff layer of leaves and pine needles that build up under the trees. These leaves act like a sponge and filter and help prevent pollutants from getting into the lake. As a cottage owner it is one of the best things you can do to protect lake water quality.

Check the shoreline and other areas of the property for soil erosion. Stabilize these areas with vegetation or rock riprap. If more than minor maintenance and repair is required, or if structural measures are necessary, contact your local code enforcement officer and the DEP to determine if permits will be needed before doing the work.

With regard to your septic system, check the leach field for any breakouts and consider having the tank pumped if it has not been pumped in the last three years. A properly functioning septic system prevents harmful pollutants from getting into the lake.

Following these simple rules when opening up your cottage will go far in protecting the natural resources you so enjoy as a cottage owner.

"In our back yard" is a column of the Maine Department of Environmental Protection. E-mail your environmental questions to: infodep@state.me.us or send them to: "In our backyard," Maine DEP, 17 State House Station, Augusta, ME 04333.

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Bethel

by Virginia Keniston

Last Friday, Edna York fell and broke her hip. She is in Room 165 at CMMC hospital in Lewiston.

Muriel Butters is on a trip to Scotland.

Kay McMillin, along with Claudia Casey, recently spent a week with Nikki and Sheldon Miller in Bethesda, Md. They had a delightful time.

Harry and Barbara Kuzyk celebrated their 60th wedding anniversary on Monday, May 17.

Tom and Dawn Giroux of Biddeford have purchased the property recently owned by the Belisles on Chapman Street.

Pie Sales at the Methodist Church will start the second Thursday in June.

Amy Davis attended her daughter Betsy Retallack's graduation over the weekend. Betsy received her master's degree.

Kate Nickerson Dumais of Livermore graduated summa cum laude from the University of Southern Maine on Saturday with a baccalaureate degree in Leadership and Organizational Studies. Attending the commencement exercises at the Cumberland County Civic Center were Chad Dumais, George and Danna Nickerson, Arlene Brown, Linda and Bruce MacDormand and Donna Dumais. Following graduation, Kurt and Tammy Brown hosted a celebratory luncheon for Kate at their home in Westbrook.

Oxford Hills Duplicate Bridge will host a charity game to benefit Alzheimer's on May 21. A dollar will be collected from each player for Alzheimer research. Proceeds will go to the American Contract Bridge League as our contribution to this worthy charity. Winners for the May 14 game were: Mike Quinn and Fred Letourneau; Eric and Marilyn Sahlberg; Harry Richardson and Les Buzzell; Dick Allen and Pete Cummings. Eleanor Griffin and Jim Dickens along with Beverly Dolan and Bev Pelletier also placed.

CHAMBER AWARD RECIPIENTS
The 35th annual Bethel Area Chamber of Commerce Awards Dinner and Auction took place Friday at Sunday River Ski Resort's Grand Summit Hotel at Sunday River Ski Resort. This year's event was sponsored by Mt. Abram Family Resort, and the master of ceremonies was David Murphy. Award recipients, Pictured are, front: Heather Hale-Nivus, President's Award; Ginny Walker, Volunteer of the Year Award; Susan Herlihy, Henry H. Hastings Award for Citizenship; Hospitality Employee of the Year, Sarah Petrin, Grand Summit Hotel, Hospitality Employee of the Year; Nina Wheeler, Christmas For Families, Special Recognition Award. Middle: David Nivus, Good Food Store (with Heather Hale-Nivus), Business of the Year Award; Phil Landry, Mt. Abram Family Resort, Ski Services Employee of the Year; John Head, Lifetime Achievement Award; Megan Kelly and Kurt Wight, Student Citizenship Awards; William Morton, Telstar Regional High School, Education Employee of the Year; Alvin Barth, Public Service Award. Back: Benjamin Kellogg, Forest Products Industry Employee of the Year; Matt Hodgdon, Jack Frost Sports, Retail and Sales Employee of the Year; Benjamin Shimamura, Susan O'Donnell Memorial Taste of Bethel Award.
(Photo by Carol Savage)

Upton

by Eleanor LeComte

Last week, every tree seemed to burst out in lovely shades of green. The fiddleheads popped out of the ground and within 24 hours they grew tall and promised to cover the forest floor with a soft green, hiding the winter debris and branches. Mother Nature sure knows how to sweep the "uglies" under the rug. The lawns are receiving their first mowing and it's almost safe to plant annuals. The bad news is, the black flies have arrived in force. Net hoods and Deep Woods Off Spray are seen in most dooryards. So far the mosquitoes are mild, but very soon they will present themselves in swarms. Recently, I read in "Saltscapes," a Canadian magazine, that they are also plagued by black flies. The little blighters are called buffalo gnats or turkey gnats up there. We have a different name for them in Upton, but The Citizen would never print the obscene moniker applied to them as they crawl under your socks and up your sleeves to extract their bloody meal. Only females of the species bite, because they must provide blood in order to produce more of their kind.

The face of Errol has changed as L.L. Cotes Mall replaces several of the small buildings in the center of town. The buildings are quite attractive. "Knots for Logs Only" has remodeled the exterior of their gift shop and it looks great. Eames Garage, the Errol General Store, the Black Bear Restaurant, the corner market and the Creamery Restaurant and Ice Cream Parlor are all thriving, each in its own manner. It's a great little town with a lot to offer the public.

The Ladies Aid held their first meeting of the season. Plans were made for a Yard Sale (early this year) to be held on May 29, from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. We hope to have a large turnout for Memorial Weekend.

Roger Lavallee has been deep-sea fishing for haddock. He has brought home to Upton some of the best haddock I have ever tasted. He also won a sum of money for the most fish caught.

Wildlife in the Androscoggin Water Shed, a conference sponsored by the Androscoggin Watershed Council, was held at the Bethel Inn Conference Center on May 14. Many informative sessions were presented. Wild turkeys, lynx and bear, loons, birds and fishery management were well received by those attending. Eagles, raptors and falcons were also presented in sessions. It was time well spent for those attending.

We have been blessed with spectacular sunsets, peepers, honking geese and crying loons each evening. Spring is really here.

While in Florida, Richard and I were wined and dined by some wonderful people who camp all summer on Tripp Pond. Rose Mangini, age 91, made some wonderful meatballs and sauce for Richard. John and Jean Mangini gave their all to give us a great vacation. My niece, Cathy Castello, and her handsome, wonderful husband Larry, gave us their ocean-side home for a month. How lucky can you get. They receive this column by computer and we cannot say thank you enough.

Congratulations to the Errol graduates. A Baccalaureate Ceremony was held in the Errol Congregational Church on Sunday afternoon.

Beaver damage around the lake becomes more apparent each day. Incidentally, it improves the view with each tree they cut down.

Pick your own "Bird of the Week." There are so many flying through. The brush is twittering with warblers. The robins have nests everywhere.

Maggie, the Golden dog, is providing big tufts of hair to help the birds feather their nests.

East Bethel

by Nancy Mercer

The East Bethel Cemetery clean up is May 22 at 9 a.m. and the rain day is May 23. There will be sandwiches and drink after the work is done. Any young people would be very much appreciated for their help.

The annual meeting of the East Bethel Church will be May 24 at the church at 7 p.m.

Esther Wilson hosted a big cookout for four graduates from college and Helen Farrar's birthday. The entire family was there plus loads of friends for about 35 people all together. Brent, Jackie Libby and Vandi Taylor-Kemp all graduated from New Hampshire Technical College, and Theresa Gibson graduated from the University of Audio Research in New York City. All the graduations happened on May 14 and the celebration was May 16.

Helen Farrar of South Paris came with Corena Morse of Harrison for her birthday celebration.

Rose Dyer, Roger and Louise Twitchell, Millie Jackson, Ruth Bethel and Dot Bartlett all attended the Bethel Seniors Citizens Club meeting at the Sudbury Inn on May 12.

Paul and Kathy Hebert were in Pennsylvania recently to visit Kathy's mother for a week.

On May 15, Paul and Kathy Hebert and daughter, Tanya, attended a housewarming for Jason Hebert in Gray.

Lacey Hebert now has a contract with the Mexico school system to be a teacher there for the coming school year. She had been teaching in the Farmington area.

Paul and Kathy Hebert attended a family gathering at Paul's mother's on May 13, to celebrate her birthday.

Neil and Linda Olson attended the housewarming in Gray, on May 15, for Jason Hebert.

Nancy Kimball, Christina Kimball and Steve Goss were in Sturbridge, Mass., May 11 and 12 for a ceramics convention.

Alder River Grange will be celebrating its 100th birthday on June 27, starting at 4 p.m. with hors d'oeuvres, supper of chicken BBQ and bean hole beans at 5 p.m., slide show at 6:30 p.m. and dancing to Richard Felt's band afterward.

Stan Howe is still looking for pictures of the East Bethel area of past years, to be made into slides. He will return

The Way I See It

by Sharon Bouchard

Sharon Bouchard's column is published by special arrangement with the Advertising Department

One of my fondest memories of when I was a little kid is when my mother would take me uptown for an ice cream on Saturday afternoon. Admittedly that was many years ago, though much more recent than the horse and buddy days as my kids seem to think. It was a much simpler time, at least for me.

I came from the era of the soda fountain which was a delightful experience that I'm afraid is lost on the youngsters of today. I imagine if you mention soda fountain to a kid now, they would immediately conjure up an image of a municipal fountain spurting Pepsi or Coke.

But in my day it was a counter with high stools and behind the counter there were tall black and chrome spigots for dispensing soda and sweet syrups, a lot of stainless steel and always a huge mirror on the wall. In those olden days we didn't know much about high fat and cholesterol and could look ourselves right in the eye while we consumed the artery clogging sweetness.

Maybe it's because of the mirrors that soda fountains have become a thing of the past. People still eat large volumes of high fat, high cholesterol ice cream, but we all know it's not very good for us and we sure don't want to see ourselves packing it away.

Anyway, I was talking about a fond memory of going to a soda fountain with my mother and in Norway, where I was raised; we had several to choose from. If it was just ice cream we were after we went to Ashton's Drug Store or Fletchers. If there was a need to combine shopping with our mission we got the ice cream at Newberry's or Stone's Drug Store. Once in a great while we would end up at Barjo's Restaurant or venture all the way down to the other end of Main Street to Harlow's.

For all the options of where to buy ice cream there were not that many choices on what kind of ice cream to buy. The menus consisted of vanilla, chocolate, strawberry, coffee, and fudge ripple, sometimes pistachio and at Barjo's, my personal favorite, banana. All hard serve, no low fat.

I always chose fudge ripple unless we went to Barjo's, then, of course, it was banana. I was a bit of a rebel and didn't want to fall into the vanilla, chocolate, strawberry mold. I though that was way too common. My mother always ordered vanilla.

Later, when I was old enough to ride a bicycle, Lyndon Spinney had opened the Dairy Joy and introduced the area to soft serve. I thought I was a big shot to pedal my bike there and get something different. The flavors were vanilla, chocolate, vanilla and chocolate twist and sometimes strawberry and coffee. I always chose the twist.

Now, everything has changed. The soda fountain and Dairy Joy are long gone replaced by seasonal ice cream stands.

Now, everything has changed. The soda fountain and Dairy Joy are long gone replaced by seasonal ice cream stands. The menus are vast and the flavor options are endless. When I go to one of these ice cream stands it takes me at least a half hour of standing in the hot sun just to decide what I want.

There is hard serve, soft serve, frozen yogurt, frozen custard, sherbet, Dole whip, low fat, no fat and reduced cholesterol. There are anywhere from 20 to 30 flavors of hard serve, several options for soft serve and at some of the stands there is a sign boasting 24 different flavors that can be added to soft serve.

Mind boggling, isn't it? And it doesn't stop there. The consumers have a choice of cones too; regular waffle or sugar cones and at some stand that choice expands to chocolate covered cones or chocolate and nut covered cones. If you can't make up your mind which cone you want, you can always have your ice cream in a dish.

Then you can add the choice of chocolate sprinkles (we used to call them jimmies) or colored sprinkles. If that's not enough you can have several different types of candy mixed into your ice cream or you can mix your ice cream in with your favorite flavor slush.

On top of all those options there are the old stand byes like sundae (several to choose from), parfaits (several to choose from) milk shakes (any flavor you can create) and good old banana splits.

Buying your ice cream in the supermarket isn't a whole lot easier. There you will find several brand names, many flavors, premium, gourmet, low fat, no fat, in-between fat, Italian ice, and ice milk. I won't even bother to go into the ice cream desserts, ice cream bars, sandwiches and a whole slew of other frozen concoctions.

Is it any wonder that ice cream is an $11 billion retail industry? To put that into a different perspective, each American consumes a yearly average of 23.2 quarts of ice cram, ice milk, soft serve and other commercially produced frozen dairy products.

Considering that 98% of all households in America purchase ice cream, I would guess that some of us are consuming a little more than our 23.2 quarts a year.

It's probably not too hard to figure out that the United States ranks number one in the top 10 ice cream consuming countries in the world. It may surprise you though, that the next 9 in order of top consumption are New Zealand, Denmark, Australia, Belgium, Sweden, Canada, Norway (the country, not where I grew up) Ireland and Switzerland.

A couple of other interesting ice cream facts are children ages 2 thru 12 and adults 45 and over eat the most ice cream per person. The top three cities in America that purchase the most ice cream on a per capita basis are Portland, Oregon, St. Louis, Missouri and Seattle, Washington.

And believe it or not, the average number of licks it takes to polish off a single scoop ice cream cone is approximately 50. Here is the most interesting fact of all, in spite of all the choices of ice cream available, vanilla is still the world's favorite.

So no matter what your favorite flavor, choice of cone, what you mix in or don't mix in, or how many licks it take you to eat an ice cream cone, just keep consuming that ice cream. The way I see it we should all do our duty and eat at least 23.2 quarts of ice cream this year so we can make sure this great country of ours will remain #1.

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60 "Rebel Without a Cause" actor
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77 Ralph of "The Waltons"
78 Stiller's partner
80 "Appalachian Spring" composer
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90 Good times
91 Chucky, for one
93 Yellowish brown
95 WWII site
97 Room for ,
100 Ginnie —
101 Friend
104 EMT's skill
105 Commandment word
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4 Circus performer
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7 Feel sore
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10 Act like Etna
11 Stud site
12 Impresario Hurok
13 Italy's — Mountains
14 Celeste or Ian
15 Tut's turf
16 Maui greeting
17 Obtuse
20 "Light My Fire" rockers
24 Big bird
27 "I told you so!"
30 Tasty tuber
31 Wine word
32 Deere things
33 Fess up
34 Poet Khayyam
35 Windmill part
36 — butter
41 Actress Dunaway
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45 Comic Elliott
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49 "Slammin' Sam"
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54 Garr of "Mr Mom"
55 Glasses
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62 Jawaharlal's jacket
63 Bellyache
64 Terrier tether
65 A Pointer sister
66 Like Notre Dame
69 Early Brits
70 Baseball family name
72 "M*A*S*H" Emmy winner
73 Actor Stephen
74 Power unit
76 Urban transport
78 Carpenter's corner
79 List ender
81 Postfix
82 Cover girl Campbell
83 Poet Thomas
85 Seductive
86 Without value
87 Detect
92 Triangle part
94 Tennis term
95 Ignominy
96 Starch source
97 It's down in the mouth
98 "— Blue?" ('29 song)
99 Zoo attraction
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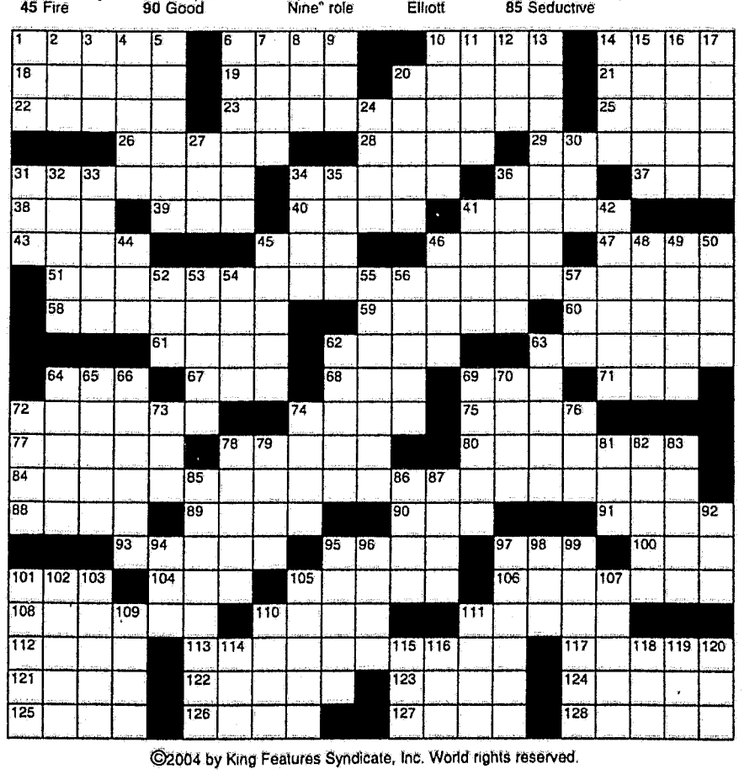

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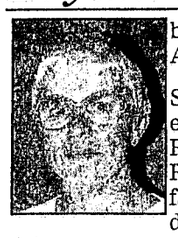
your pictures as soon as possible. They do not have to be grange specific.

The supper schedule for Alder River Grange is as follows: July 24, bean hole beans; Aug. 21, bean hole beans; Sept. 11, roast beef; Oct. 23, harvest supper; Nov. 13, turkey supper. Any veteran gets a free supper. All suppers will have salads and pies for desert.

The Grange Yard Sale this year is on Mollyockett Day and will be at Stan Howe's on Broad Street. If you have stuff you wish to donate, we will take it — no clothes please. If it needs a pick up, call Nancy Mercer at 824-3350, Jim Lowe at 824-3107, or Stan Howe at824-2291.

I hope everyone has a good week. God Bless the Troops.

Bryant Pond



by Alice Hoyt

Sympathy is extended to Robert and Roy Day and families in the death of their sister.

Guests at the Ken Hoyts for dinner Mother's Day were Ken and Alice, Beatrice Farnum, Beth, Steven and Marybeth Hoover, JoAnn, David, Ray and Shawn Crockett, Jim Hoyt and Charlene Cash, Robert Hoyt, Leatrice and John Chase, Althea and Robert and Daniel Stevens, Richard, Teresa, Mike and Hunter Chase, Andrew, Rhonda and Liza Chase.

Committal services were held on Monday, May 10, for Beth Abbott (wife of Herschel Abbott) at the Ellis River Cemetery, Rumford.

Judith Grover Tent 17 met on Monday, May 10, at the Grange Hall with five members present. Memorial Day plans were discussed. Sharon will do the flowers. Money was sent to the department treasurer for convention expenses. Helvi said the Legion Auxiliary invited us to a program for WWII veterans on May 29. The school children are writing essays for Memorial. Mystery package went to Alice Hoyt. Eleven calls were reported.

On Mother's Day at the Baptist Church, Pastor Ron Pinkham spoke in the morning and Nadja Bolio spoke at night. Services at the Baptist Church are Sunday School and Adult Bible Fellowship at 9:15 a.m., morning worship at 10:30 a.m., choir practice at 5:15 p.m. and evening service at 6 p.m. Wednesday at 6:30 p.m. is prayer meeting. Thursday at 9 a.m. is Ladies Bible study. Tuesday, May 18, is a special meeting to vote on calling Lawrence Hodgkins as the pastor of the church.

On Friday, May 28, the Grange will have a Mock Hee Haw Show at the Grange Hall at 7 p.m. Come help the Grange earn some money.

On May 6 at the New Hampshire Community Technical College at Berlin, N.H. the sixth annual Emmons Award Night was held. Those attending were Mary Emmons, Mr. and Mrs. James Hagar and Mr. and Mrs. Larry Walton. This award is given to a senior culinary arts student who demonstrates overall excellence in the kitchen as well as classroom. A delicious banquet was served.

Don't forget the Memorial Day program and parade on Monday, May 31. Program at the Honor Roll near the Grange Hall will be held at 1 p.m.

At the May meeting of the Historical Society secretary Elaine Roberts read columns from years ago in the Lewiston Sun. There was everything from clearing ice out of the canal to selling maple syrup for 18 cents a pound in 1904. The members decided to have a flea market sale on July 10. Anyone can rent a table for $3. History Day will be Aug. 7, 9 a.m. to 2 p.m., and features crafts, a food sale and museum tours. The June meeting will be a program when each member brings a list of memories. Curator Larry Billings has given a rare primitive wooden book to the society. There isn't much primitive in the museum but a plow and great spinning wheel.

Mary Billings went out with sons Paul and Larry for a meal on Mother's Day, also Vicki May's family. Vicki's grandson, Jonathan, is delightful.

South Woodstock

by Andrea Wing

A large crowd attended the surprise retirement party for Freda Gaudreau on May 6. Freda worked for MDOT in Bethel for about 22 years. Bob Spenser from Dixfield; Rick, immediate supervisor; and former supervisor Thompson Moore were among the attendees. Immediate supervisor Jeff Littlehale and his wife Jolene arranged everything. Freda received many gifts including a clock of the State of Maine made by construction supervisor Brian Mitchell. Many friends and relatives also came to wish her the best. A supper was served and a short program commenting on her excellent work for the state and for her devoted service. Congratulations, Freda, happy retirement.

A birthday party was held here at our home for our granddaughter, Sarah Lynch. Strawberry shortcake, italian sandwiches and other goodies were served. Those attending were: Sarah and Phil Lynch and Zack, Jessie Hart, Kellie Record, Richard and Andrea Wing. Carol Hall and Olivia York came by later. Kellie and Sadie had a fun time playing Frisbee and chess with Kellie's grandson, Zack, after the party.

Mother's Day was also the same day as the birthday party. I received presents including books by Dr. Phil. We had a nice visit with our son, Rick, Monday night when he came for supper and brought me a nice crockpot, which I really needed.

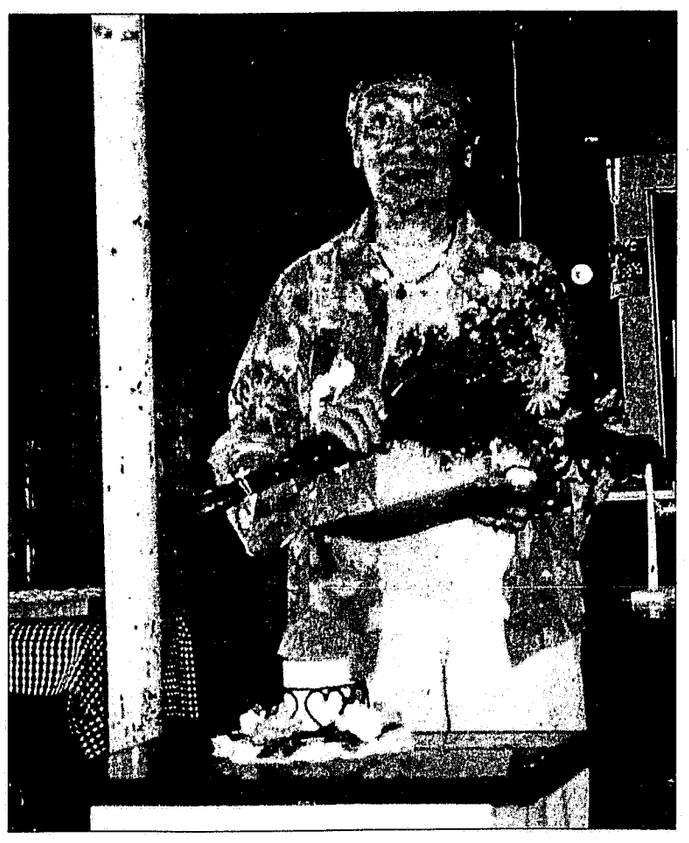
Westies Senior League played a ball game Sunday against Lawrence, winning 7-0. They've won all games so far.

Albert Silver did a fine job landscaping our lawn where trees had been cut and bushes removed. Richard has been putting water on it several times a day after he seeded the area.

Patrice Dunn is flying in from California to visit her parents, Jim and Evelyn Dunn, for a week or so.

Larry Billings, curator of the Woodstock Historical Society, reports that at the May meeting Elaine Roberts read articles from years ago that were in the Lewiston Sun. Upcoming events are a flea market July 10 and History Day, now devoted to crafts, will be Aug. 7. Vicky May donated an item to the society.

Quote of the Week: "I've learned that some people can spend years putting off a 10-minute job."



LORRIE HOEH HONORED—On Saturday, May 8, Pleasant Valley Grange presented the 2004 Community Citizen Award to Lorrie Hoeh. A 3 p.m. reception was well attended by Grange members, friends and family. The program began with a candle-lighting ceremony with readings to emphasize the meaning of charity. Lorrie's many contributions to our community were recounted. These include volunteer hours with the Nordic Handicapped Skiing Program, The Bethel Historical Society, The Bethel Library, Bethel Family Health Center, and the Mahoosuc Land Trust. She has also taught parenting classes for adult education both here and in Norway. She also participates in the Avon Walk for Breast Cancer, having reached, this year, her goal of raising $5,000.

Albany

by Dana & Sheila Dyke

Greetings and hello from Albany. We hope that everyone has enjoyed the nice weather. We are also happy about the rain, as with growing season, we certainly do need some.

Bud Bowden's daughter, Gail, has been up visiting with her father.

Our neighbor, Debbie, told us Sunday morning that her birdfeeder was torn down by a bear during the night. Not too surprising — Sheila and Pam Rugg saw bear cubs last fall on the side of the road. There's lots of wildlife in our neck of woods.

Marissa Corriveau and Annika Barton are each celebrating birthdays this week.

Best wishes for a happy and safe week. God Bless and Keep.

West Paris

by Joyce Lamb

What beautiful hot weather we had last week. I welcome it but some are complaining that it was too hot. My old farmhouse when built about 150 years ago was well placed to get a breeze all summer. The back door on the north admits cool air right through the den, living room and kitchen. So I have my own private air conditioning that is not running up the electric bill. This house back in the '20s or '30s served as a beer parlor in the front bedroom with the back bedroom as the storage room, thus the back door. The storm door as well as a roll of thick insulation keeps out the north winds all winter.

At the West Paris Universalist Church on May 23 I will be guest speaker. My topic will be "Feeling Religious" and will tell some about my trip to London. Jim Burke is organist. Coffee hour will follow.

Randy Chase graduated from the Technical Community College in Berlin, N.H. with a BS in Culinary Arts. On Thursday night those attending the banquet were his wife Wendy, daughter Becky, and mother Dede Chase. He has driven north into the mountains for the past four years in all kinds of weather to accomplish this. Congratulations, Randy. Quite an accomplishment.

Nester Ruokolainen is recovering at home after spending four days at Maine Medical Center after a truck accident. Hurry and get well.

Someone left a ring of keys at the Grange Sale two weeks ago. Mary Lovejoy has them, call 674 2147.

Caleb Lamb spent the weekend with his father, Kenneth Lamb.

Beryl Bonney is doing well after surgery. Dorene Merrill has been with her for two weeks and has returned home.

When it rains Buffy loves to go walking. Sunday morning he came back looking as if he had been swimming in the farm pond. He looked much smaller with all his fur dripping. He waits just inside the door and lets me towel him off. If I put the towel on the floor he will sit on it and clean himself off. Or he hops onto my bed on his big towel that is always there for him and grooms and then naps.

Andover

by Joan Stinson-Carney

My condolences to the family and friends of Penny Poor. Condolences, also, to the family and friends of former Andover resident Evelyn Bell.

Your kind thoughts and prayers are needed for Andover resident Joe Madigan, who suffered a heart attack this weekend.

Daniel White is recuperating from surgery at the home of his brother and sister-in-law, David and Betsey White.

Congrats to Philena and David Chaisson who recently celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary. They spent time at the Balsams, and David let Philena caddy for him. What a guy. Philena, you deserve a gold star in Heaven.

The Bicentennial Weekend is getting closer and closer. Here is a partial list of scheduled events. Friday, June 18. 3 to 10 p.m., Carnival; 8 to 12 p.m., Street Dance. Historical Society display at the Town Hall all day. Saturday, June 19, 8:30 a.m., Road Race at four corners around the four-mile square; 9 a.m., Kids' Parade (bikes, trikes, and doll carriages); 10 a.m., Parade followed by wagon rides, dedication of the Civil War Monument, 21-gun salute; 11 a.m., East Andover Community Club Picnic on the Common; Noon, Skydivers; 12:30 p.m., free birthday cake and Ice cream at Bandstand on the Common; 1 to 2 p.m., Time Capsule Opening; 1 to 3 p.m., Trickster Fox performs; 2 to 6 p.m., Antique Tractor Pull; 2:30 p.m., drawing for Historical Society Basket; 4 to 6 p.m., Pig Roast at Fire Station; 5 p.m., softball game; 6 to 8 p.m., Hot Air Balloon demonstration; 9 p.m., Fireworks.

Sunday, June 20, Pancake Breakfast at the First Congregational Church sponsored by the Andover Service Circle; Noon to 1 p.m., Organ Concert at Church; Noon to 5 p.m., Carnival; 1 p.m., Sweet Adelines performing on the Common; 1 to 5 p.m., Open Houses.

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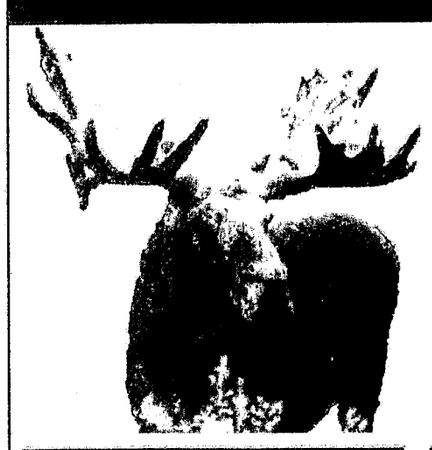

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OLD HOME DAYS PROJECT
A few of the members of the craft group of the West Paris Universalist Church tie a handmade quilt they made this winter: Nancy Willard, Peg Perham, Eleanor Inman. Helping is quilter Liz Shaw of South Paris. Beverly Stevens and Joyce Lamb also worked on the quilt. The group is selling chances on it to be drawn at Old Home Days June 6. Plans are also underway for a "Service of Memory" to be held at the church Sunday, June 6, at 9 a.m. It is an opportunity for members, friends, and anyone interested in sharing a memory they have of a loved one, former minister, or someone who has made a difference in the community or their life, to share it. Jeanne Lamb Whittemore, whose mother was organist and choir director for many years, will be guest soloist. James Burke is organist. The sharing will replace the regular sermon. The Rev. Joy Gasta will offer the prayer. For more information, contact Willard at 665-2788 or Inman at 527-2139.

as well as a display at the Town Hall. The members would like people with Andover history items, pictures, etc., for display to contact society members. You can call Bev Swan at 392-4742, Norma Farrington at 392-2652, Trudy Akers at 392-3157, Eda Perkins at 392-4401 and Betsey White at 392-1291. Security will be provided; small items will be put in show cases. If you want to stay and guard your items, that will be fine. Please contact members so plans can be made ASAP.

This is going to be a great time for Andover, I hope you are making plans to attend some or all of the events. See ya.

West Paris

by Bertha DeHaas

On the evening of May 6, at West Paris Grange 198, the Community Citizen Award was presented to Clay Wilson (in person) for all the work he has done over the years for the West Paris youth and the West Paris Athletic Association. Clay's wife, Karen, has run the Snack Shack all these years, too. They have two daughters and reside on High Street, West Paris.

Saturday, May 8, was a beautiful and busy day for most of us, as it was the Mother's Day Craft and Food Sale at West Paris Grange. They had a good turnout. Mary's corn chowder was delicious, as usual.

Also on May 8, the ladies of West Paris Baptist Church (29 of them) had their annual Mother-Daughter Banquet at Market Square Restaurant. The guest speaker for the day was Mary Jane Abbott-Ames, formerly of West Paris, now of Gorham, N.H.

Sunday afternoon, May 9, the Richard G. Felt Band played at the Victoria Villa in Canton, to a very appreciative group of ladies and gentlemen.

Monday afternoon saw a bit of excitement in West Paris village when Walter Inman's pickup truck caught fire in front of the West Paris Post Office. Walter had just made the final payment on his truck.

Tuesday afternoon saw the Buckfield, South Paris, Norway, and West Paris fire trucks, and one Pace ambulance in Buckfield for a woods fire out behind trailers. It burnt over an acre. The quick thinking of a 14-year-old boy calling 911 and using the family's garden hose kept the fire from taking any homes and burning over a larger area. Makes us older folks remember the forest fires of 1947 — "The Year Maine Burned."

At 6 p.m. Wednesday, May 12, the members of Foster-Carroll Post 72 American Legion and Auxiliary met at their hall beside Deering Memorial Methodist Church in South Paris for their installation and a buffet supper before their business meeting. The following officers have been duly elected and installed for the following year: commander, Ray Berard; 1st commander, Joseph Lamonte; 2nd vice commander, Hartley "Skip" Mowatt; adjutant, Arthur E. Hill Jr.; finance officer, Sarah L. Glynn; sgt. at arms, George Brown; chaplain, Gilbert F. Turner; service officer, Joseph F. Conney, historian, JoAnn R. Hill; judge advocate, Matti Korhonen.

The Ladies Auxiliary officers are: president, Virginia Gammon; 1st vice president, Lillian Herrick; 2nd vice president, Jill Gerard; secretary, Marilyn Ramsay; treasurer (open); sgt. at arms, Mabel Dunn; chaplain, Pat Dyer; historian, Marguerite Johnson; executive committee: Florence McGlaugulin and Jean Lamonte. Have a good year and God Bless.

It sure has been a busy year so far. Take care and see you all next week.

Hanover

by Clem Worcester

Herb Kittredge is reported as being on the sick list and is hospitalized.

Louise Worcester was feeling well enough one day last week to go for an automobile ride.

Joan Tucker has improved and has returned to her home. She has been staying with her daughter since having surgery in Portland over a month ago.

Local logger Brian Worcester was temporarily sidelined recently when a mishap in Mexico broke his jaw. He reports his jaw will be wired shut for six to eight weeks. That should keep him quiet!

Travelers along US Route 2 in Hanover and part of Rumford can expect traffic delays, as Pike Industries has begun an 8.5-mile major repaving project. Several portions of the roadway will have the old pavement removed so that the road base can be fixed. A portion of Route 5, the Ellis River Road, will also be repaved.

A bear, reported to be fairly large, has been making the rounds. He has invaded homes, garbage cans and birdfeeders on Barlow Road, Laurie's Lane, Main Street, Mill Hill Road, Baby Brook Lane and Howard Pond Road. Lorraine Gallant reported to Neighborhood Watch that the bear had broken down a birdfeeder that was attached to the window of her house. Officials have advised that it is a good idea to keep bear food items inside, especially at night.

The Maine Forest Service reminds folks that a fire permit is required before burning brush, leaves or debris. Check with Hanover Forest Fire Warden Chris Howe to see if conditions are favorable for burning. He will issue a one-day fire permit if possible. Remember to keep your fire small and put it out if the wind starts blowing and make sure the fire is completely out when the burning is completed. Anyone who has a fire that gets out of control may be held liable for the cost of putting out the fire.

Greenwood City

by Rena Curtis

I hope everyone had a nice Mother's Day, as I did.

Not all of my family could get here, but I enjoyed those that did. Albert Curtis and Carl Curtis and Betty Curtis were here, then Walter and Laurel Curtis of Kingsbury, Walter, Trisha and Keith Curtis of Norway were here. I received a lot of phone calls from the rest of my family and also some of my grandchildren called.

Marie Curtis and I went to Norway one day, as I had an appointment down there. Thursday, we went to Lewiston for more appointments. Friday, Marie took her parents, Tom and Iva Bragg of Sumner, for an eye doctor's appointment. Monday, Marie went over to Hartford to see her sister, Rosie Henderson. She had just had an operation but is getting along well.

My daughter, Evelyn Heikkinen, went to Portland to Maine Medical where she will be operated on Thursday. Hope she will feel much better after that.

Saturday, David and Sally Holt and daughter, Mary, and Ann Holt, celebrated their mother's birthday and Mother's Day with their parents, Leonas and Fay Holt.

Bradley Payne went down to see his mother, Cora Payne, at South Paris.

Robert Holt and son, Danny, called on his parents, Leonas and Fay Holt. They all went down to see Colista Morgan. David and Sally Holt's daughter, Mary, went to Boston and had her eye operated on. It is coming along well.

A thought to remember: "The road to success is always under construction."

That's it for this week. Have a safe and happy one.

Locke Mills

by Lorraine Larson

In celebration of their 35th wedding anniversary on May 3, Al and Crystal Lake went on a seven-day trip to Bermuda. On May 24, Crystal will be flying to Ft. Walton Beach, Fla., to visit their son, Brent Lake and their daughter-in-law, Jessica, returning home on June 6. Brent and Jessica will be celebrating their fourth wedding anniversary on May 28 and plan to go to Disneyland in Orlando, Fla.

Debbie and Owen Brown spent the weekend in Salem, N.H. Tracy Walker and boys stayed at the house and took care of Cosmo and the cat, Scratcher, and her four kittens. Speaking of Scratcher, Owen has added midwifery to his list of accomplishments, as he stayed home Sunday from church a couple weeks ago to help her as she was having a hard time birthing the kittens, it being her first litter.

I accompanied Laura Hutchins to Portland Friday, where Laura visited her brother, Russell Yates (more commonly known as "Uncle Joe") at the Maine Medical Center where he had been a patient several days. Laura and I enjoyed most of the trip (we had a longish wait at the road construction site outside of Poland) and got started catching each other up on our lives since we both graduated from Gould in the Class of 1951. I also saw a black heron perched on a rock on the shore of Back Cove. I had heard of them but had never seen one until now.

My office assistant thinks I am being very boring as he snoozes in a curled up position at the top of the page. I get such a big kick out of him.

North Newry

by Gil Seeley

Call to worship was held Sunday morning, Mother's Day, May 9, at the Newry Community Church with Pastor Rodney Hanscom at the pulpit and daughter Nancy at the organ. Thought for the day by Sue Wight. Scripture readings by Owen Wight, Nancy and Sue. The message of the day was: "Remember Mothers." Prayer, hymn, benediction and postlude, amen.

A moose has been sighted often on Bear River Road. Break for moose. Don't shoot.

If you desire to send a card or go see him, here is the address: Reginald (Ras) Bachelder, Cove's Edge, Room 1007, 26 Schooner Street, Damariscotta, ME 04543.

Newry Mothers Club met Tuesday, May 11, at the Newry Town Office with five members plus two guests present. Senica Corriveau presided over the meeting. Present were Karlene Bachelder, Gil Seeley, Senica Corriveau, Retta Berry and Nancy Wight. Guests were Jordan Berry and Samuel Corriveau. Jordan Berry drew Karlene Bachelder's name for the mystery prize. Plans were made to give $100 each to the five Newry graduates. Supper, June 9, will be at the Town and Country Inn, plus a yard sale late June. Date to be announced later.

John and Nancy Wight had a cookout Mother's Day. Present were Terri and Staci Littlehale, Ed Powers and Retta Berry, Jason, Sarah and Jordan Berry, Brad, Katie, Kurt and Kevin Wight, Dennis and Rita Wilson. Cake and ice cream was served for Terri Littlehale's birthday.

Brenda Wight went to her mom's, Shirley Staples, to help with yard work.

East Stoneham

by Eleanor Nelson

Hi readers. Aren't these springy days, and I haven't put the hummingbird feeder out yet. Shame on me. They are here, too. I will do that just as soon as this column is done.

There's going to be a yard sale here by the Republicans and for the Republicans of Stoneham. Anyone to contribute and come by to see what we have will be very welcome. This is to be June 5, Saturday, and starts at 10 a.m. See you here, near the Stoneham Rescue building. Also, the following Saturday the Nelsons will be having a yard sale. Anything that does not go will go back to owners or be taken to the Church Thrift Shop here in town. Everybody benefits, right?

On Sunday, May 9, Albert and I were taken by son Albert Nelson Jr., to the Bugaboo Restaurant in Portland where we met the other three "children" and their families for dinner and visit. There were 17 of us. What a nice Mother's Day. Thanks, you all, it was the best, and thanks Dale for organizing it and treating me and everything.

Marilyn Jones and Elaine Legieux put the flags out on the graves of veterans and Daughters of Union Veterans of the Civil War this past week at the Stoneham cemetery. Marilyn said her father's grave had been filled in and she appreciates it being done.

Church services are being held at the East Stoneham Church now from 10 to 11 a.m. The DUV will be attending as a group together on May 23. There will be a Memorial program service directly after church.

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Tuesday, May 11, there was an Oxford County Republican meeting at the Wilkins House in Waterford. The Hannibal Hamlin Republican Women's Club as always put on a good lasagna dinner, with meeting following at 7 p.m. Paul Billings opened the meeting. Secretary and treasurer's reports were given and accepted. Becky Kendall and Stan Howe spoke of the upcoming convention in Augusta on May 14 and 15. Arlan Jodrey introduced David R. Clough, who was the featured speaker, and he talked about the Maine Legislature and small business. He touched on subjects of tax reform and balancing the budget. Norman Ferguson, Rob Cameron and Sawin Millett and Rich Bennett and Caldwell Jackson all spoke briefly, as did a few others. Penny Tucker of the Hannibal Hamlin Republican Women's Club spoke of the luncheon on Tuesday, May 25, at the South Paris Congregational Church where you can meet and hear candidates. It was mentioned that 59 percent of people buckle up. I like that, "Click it or ticket." There were 52 people at the meeting with 13 towns and two outside represented. The meeting adjourned at 8:30 p.m. Next supper meeting will be at the East Stoneham Congregational Church vestry on June 15; 5:30 p.m. is fellowship, 6:30 p.m. is supper and 7:30 p.m. is meeting. Guess I am old fashioned. I say supper and most people say dinner — whatever. Hope you will all be there. The local Daughters of Union Veterans of the Civil War will be putting it on.

Now I'm going out and feed the pretty little hummingbirds.

Don't forget, Friendly Senior Citizens meeting and potluck lunch at 11:30 a.m., June 2, Wednesday, at the North Waterford Church vestry, and also don't forget to go vote on June 8.

Mason

by Richard Grover

Mason and the West Bethel Union Church lost one of our own last week. Camilla Everett, the extremely talented and lovely wife of Bob Everett, passed quietly after a long and courageous battle with cancer. Camilla was an active member of the church from the time she moved to this area with Bob. She was a dedicated choir member and occasionally rewarded the congregation with a stirring solo rendition of one of the "old favorite" hymns. She loved nature and spent many hours cleaning the small pond behind their house, planting gardens and landscaping, often regaling friends with tales of the ducks or other bird activities in the pond along with the antics of her bird-hunting cat. She was an exceptional artist, painting murals and paintings, generally of rural landscapes or other scenes of nature. Although Camilla was originally from south of the Mason-Dixon Line, she quickly became a "native" of this area and made friends with most everyone who was lucky enough to become acquainted with her. We all miss her.

In other local news, I learned that Dan and Lydia Grover are successful "catfishermen." It seems that Dan went on a little fishing expedition with his brother Rupert a few days ago. After he got home, Dan stood his fishing pole up in the corner, leaving a "daredevil" red and white spinner with treble hooks hanging about two feet above the floor. Next day, Lydia brought the cat to dad with a daredevil in his mouth and about three or four feet of fish line dragging behind. Apparently, the cat had taken an interest in the dangling daredevil and attacked it, resulting in the treble hook getting caught in the cat's mouth, the points of the hooks protruding from the cat's lips and cheek. Dan took a pair of wire-cutting pliers and cut the ends off the hooks, but Lydia took the cat to the vet to get the barbs removed from the mouth. That's a "fish story" that almost anybody can believe.

Waterford

by Rockie Graham

I read in the Sunday paper that Saturday's heat was record breaking. It sure was some hot. It was July hot and it was only May. That's not the first time May has been hot. April has been that hot some years. I was well hydrated, but I sure felt the heat. Especially when I had to climb into the cardboard bin. We survived.

The real news that day was the Talent Show at the Waterford Memorial School. There was an excellent crowd. The acoustics were not great, but the young people performed well. One of the biggest stars was our neighbor, Michelle Corriveau, the "Master" of Ceremonies. Michelle did a great job of introducing the acts. She was even in the Playground Skit. For us, of course, the highlight was watching granddaughters Sadie Morin and Cassidy Perkins in the Mini Cheerleaders. Both first-graders, they performed well., although they were omitted from the program. They were also in the first-grade performance of the Macarena. All the performers did very well. The money from the admission price went to the Waterford Elementary School Playground Fund.

In other news, it looks like both Waterford (W.A.S.T.E.) Transfer Station and Bethel (Tri-Town) Transfer Station may have found someone to take their LP gas containers. By combining the two we can reach beyond the threshold necessary to get free pick up. Thanks go to Cynthia Hamlin for seeing this through. Both are heavy into cleaning up after the winter snow and ice have receded. As I am sure everyone knows from his or her own home, it is amazing what appears after the snow disappears. In Bethel, we found all kinds of things, including bicycles, iron posts and even trash. Hopefully, it is about cleaned up now.

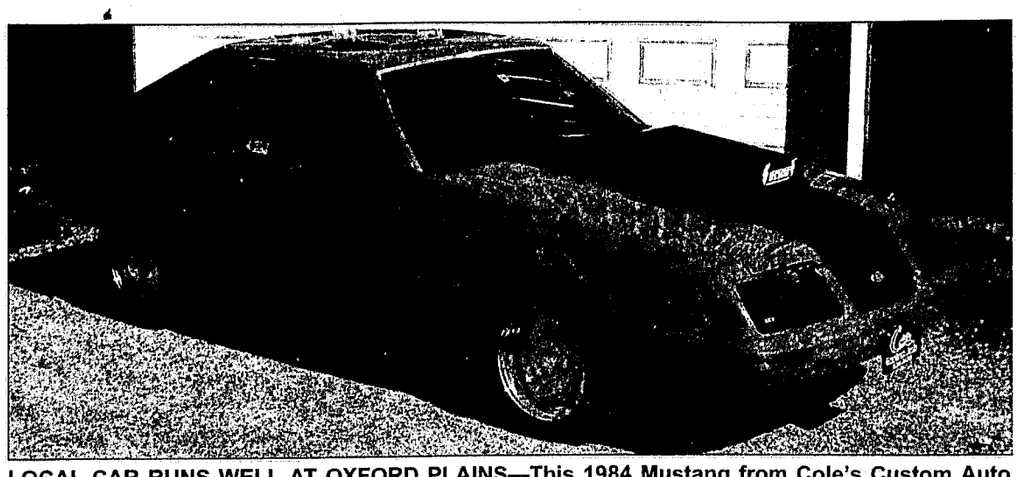
We also attended Fare Share Follies this past weekend. We enjoyed Joe Perham, Leah Wolfsong/Rei Cortez, and the mimes. It was also great to see old friends and new ones, too. My favorite event was in the lobby when Liam performed an Irish jig. Afterward he wanted to know how old he had to be before he could perform. He is currently in the first grade.

Sunday, after a day of work, we attended a housewarming/birthday party at the new home of Janet Willie. There were many great friends there and all enjoyed a shish kabob barbecue and several bean dishes. Many brought perennials for Janet's new garden.

We were saddened to read of the deaths of two Bethel area friends, Camilla Everett and Hamako Mcillroy. Our condolences go to the families of both. Our hearts are with you.

All our wood is now stacked in our newly enlarged addition to our woodshed. Next we have to get all the kindling in. Half of it is in there, now. We are going to be ready for winter. David finished the roof on the shed just as the raindrops started to fall and the thunder and lightning began.

That is all for this week. Have a great week and enjoy the summer days when they are here and the spring days when they are here.



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From the

Bethel Senior Citizens

The Bethel Senior Citizens Club met May 12 at the Sudbury Inn for their annual meeting and dinner with 55 present. President Musa Brown conducted the meeting and led the salute to the flag. Reports were given by Jane Hosterman and Arlene Lowell. The door prize was won by Doris Mills, and the raffle, which was a ceramic plate made by Nancy Kimball, was won by Bertha Foster. The next meeting will be June 9 at the East Bethel Grange Hall; price of the dinner will be $6. Meeting to start at 11 a.m.

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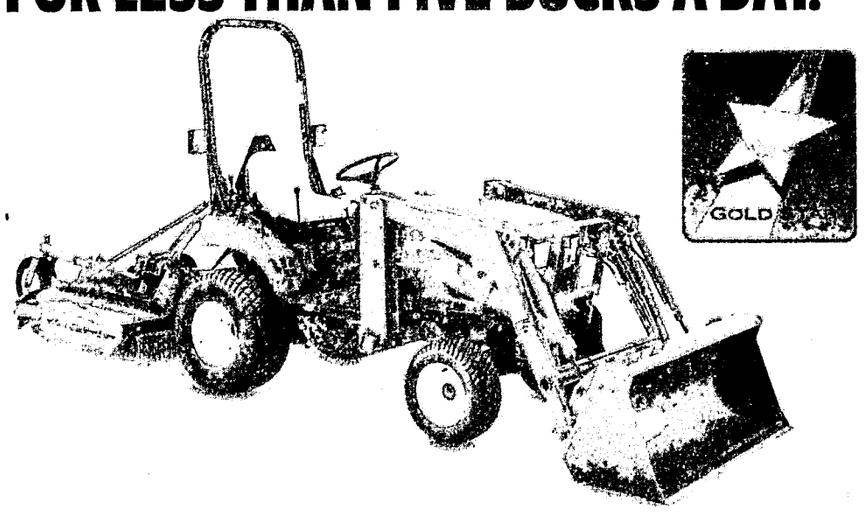

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Musa Brown announced the schedule for the rest of the year. Cecile Lescault read a humorous story. Barbara Douglass, one of the first members of the club, was present and was presented a corsage from the club.

The speaker was Marty Engstrom, who lived and worked for 38 years on Mt. Washington as a transmitter engineer and also a weather reporter. He showed slides of his adventure and a question and answer period followed.

May birthdays are: Freda Davis, Cecile Lescault, Rudy Royer, Louise Twitchell, Marie Witter and Maggie Ring. The birthday cake was made by Dorene Vail.

Andover Bicentennial Committee

There will be fireworks in town on Saturday night, June 19.

While that might sound like prediction of a squabble over a local issue, the fireworks will be provided by Blue Hill Pyrotechnics as part of a Bicentennial celebration being planned for the weekend of June 18-20. Activities will begin on Friday afternoon with a carnival from 3 to 10 p.m., and from 8 p.m. until midnight, a street dance.

The carnival will remain in town throughout festivities, which include: parades, wagon rides, birthday cake and ice cream, burying a time capsule, a pig roast, hot air balloon rides, an organ concert, historical displays, a pancake breakfast and open houses. Weather permitting, there will be a skydiver on Saturday.

"We've tried to gear the weekend for all ages," says Roger Mills Jr., who like his father for the 1954 Sesquicentennial, serves as general chairman of the 2004 celebration in this small Oxford County town. Mills admits it has taken countless phone calls at night, during the past two years, to pull things together. The Bicentennial Committee is now meeting every other Thursday night at the town hall, and inquiries from those willing to lend a hand are encouraged with the big weekend just a month away.

Mills and most of the subcommittee chairmen met at 6 p.m. on May 6 to discuss progress made in creating a memorable occasion. Present were: Historical Society liaison Norma Farrington, Barbara Meisner (food), Sid Pew (fireworks), Evelyn Bodemer (historic homes), Paul Lee (doll carriage parade), Nancy Wardwell (commemorative t-shirts and sweatshirts), Judy Michaud (souvenir buttons) and Marshall Meisner who, notes Mills, "is doing so many things we can't pinpoint them all."

Meisner, Andover's road commissioner, was well versed at the meeting on the whys and what-fors for placement of a long banner heralding the upcoming Bicentennial weekend. A trial run for stringing it over Main Street had been made by members of the fire department back in April, but Meisner said, at the recent meeting, this would not be allowed by Central Maine Power Company. "Too close to their power lines," he said, adding that the electric utility will set poles for placing the heavy banner somewhere else. He agreed to continue dealing with the matter. Pew was also agreeable, saying he'd scout around for more donors so flags can flutter from lower Main Street to the bridge "and up to Windy Corner." There are 53 poles along this route, but it was felt 25 American flags would be enough.

A doll carriage parade was a feature of the Sesquicentennial and Lee reported plans are progressing nicely to repeat this event in 2004. There are three classes to be judged: bikes, trikes and doll carriages.

Other Saturday events include: a road race (8:30 a.m.), the kids parade (9 a.m.), a classic parade with floats (10 a.m.), dedication of Civil War monument and 21-gun salute, wagon rides, the carnival (10 a.m. to 10 p.m.), town hall displays (all day from 8 a.m.), East Andover Community Club picnic on common (11 a.m.), free birthday cake and ice cream (12:30 p.m.), 1954 time capsule opening (1 to 2 p.m.), Trickster Fox performing (1 to 3 p.m.), antique tractor pull (2 to 6 p.m.), a softball game, pig roast at the fire house (4 to 6 p.m.), hot-air balloon rides (6 to 8 p.m.) and fireworks (9 p.m.). The Andover Historical Society headquarters on Elm Street will be open from 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. and there will be a display of historical items in the town hall throughout the weekend.

The Historical Society's other property, a one-room schoolhouse in East Andover, will be open Sunday from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m.

Although the 1954 Sesquicentennial boasted "dynamite salutes at dawn," the 2004 Andover Bicentennial Committee has scheduled events for Sunday without quite as much fanfare. These include: a pancake breakfast at the First Congregational Church (7 to 9 a.m.), an organ concert (noon to 1 p.m.), the carnival (noon to 5 p.m.), Sweet Adelines performing on the common (1 p.m.) and at least two historical houses open to the public (1 to 5 p.m.).

Those planning for the 2004 Andover Bicentennial indicate the program is subject to a few changes, but one thing is certain, there are, indeed, enough activities scheduled to please all ages. As with any undertaking of this size in a small town, volunteers are needed to help carry off this big birthday bash. The Bicentennial Committee would be grateful.

From the

Gilead Bicentennial Committee

The committee met on May 8 and finalized a few more plans for the celebration on June 26.

Ozzie Hart was present at the meeting and will be coordinating the police coverage we will need for the day.

The issue of where to park is being solved. Richard and Sue Saunders are clearing their field for parking and Bev has met with Paul Boisvenue, director of engineering for the St. Lawrence & Atlantic Railroad. We will be clearing a space between the railroad and Route 2 on both sides of Bridge Street. After the celebration, the area will be modified to eliminate any possibility of parking in the future. The town hopes to create a space that will be attractive to the town.

BETHEL FIREFIGHTERS were the recent recipients of free blue jeans, compliments of the Carhartt Co. The outdoor clothing company distributes the jeans as part of a nationwide tour that visits construction sites and other organizations/gatherings. Here, Carhartt representatives hand out the jeans in front of the Bethel Fire Station.

The parade is also coming together. Our grand marshal will be Senator Bruce Bryant. We hope all area children will plan on either walking in the parade or riding their bikes. Well-mannered pets are welcome. We are hoping that the area fire departments will also participate. There is always plenty of room if you would like to join in.

Some members of the committee have been hard at work sorting the books from the Gilead Library Association. These books have been stored in boxes in the hall for the past few years. Alice Strait and Bill and Gail Tout have gone through all the books, and, with the help of Sandy Dennis, they have determined which ones to keep and which ones to discard. On Saturday, May 22, and Sunday May 23, the Town Hall will be open for a book sale. We hope to sell off most of the discards and use the money to buy supplies for the work being done on the Little Library Room in the Town Hall. Len Strait and Linwood Cox helped paint inside the building last week. Richard Saunders stopped by to help with some of the preparations for painting. They have all worked hard and deserve a big thank you. Stop by on Saturday or Sunday and check out the books and the new coat of paint.

The t-shirts have been printed. The logo is on the front, and the back is the same picture as on the front of the history book, "The Smile of Providence." Contact Lin Chapman at 836-2987 or Bev Corriveau at 836-2032 if you are interested in buying a t-shirt.

We are still looking for vendors to set up in June. Give us a call if you are interested.

From the

Telstar Alumni Association

The Telstar Alumni Association held its monthly meeting on Tuesday, May 11, at Telstar Regional High School. Secretary and treasurer's reports were given and accepted. It was voted by the attending alumni members to draft a letter, to be sent to as many members as time and money allows, about donating money to our Alumni Memorial Fund.

Each May, the alumni give out five Educational Assistance Awards to seniors who have parents, or, it seems now, grandparents who are Telstar graduates. We would like to be able to give out more than just five awards, but we just don't have enough funds to allow it. Any alumni who would like to make a monetary donation to the Memorial Fund, either a cash donation or in memory of someone deceased, we would use these funds to give more awards.

Notice to all alumni: if your mailing address has changed because of F-911, please get in touch with us. The school's mailing address is still 284 Walkers Mills Road, Bethel, ME 04217.

And, all alumni are always invited to our monthly meetings to add their input. Monthly meetings are always held on the second Tuesday of the month at 6:30 p.m. in the Telstar Conference Room.

Reunion planning is well underway for this summer. This summer's reunion years are as follows: 1969 (35 years), 1974 (30 years), 1979 (25 years), 1984 (20 years), 1989 (15 years), 1994 (10 years) and 1999 (5 years. The Alumni Association encourages you to plan your reunions to coincide with Alumni Day 2004, which is Aug. 14 — always the second Saturday in August for those of you who need to plan months ahead.

The next Alumni Association meeting will be held on Tuesday, June 8, at Telstar Regional High School Conference Room at 6:30 p.m. All are invited to attend.

From the

Jackson-Silver Auxiliary

In our nation's capitol there have been memorials to our Korean and Viet Nam veterans but none for those from World War II, when more Americans served and lost their lives than in any other conflict. At last, one has been built and recently opened, with the formal dedication scheduled for May 29. Those veterans who can be there are invited, but many cannot go, so it is fitting that their communities recognize them

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The Jackson-Silver American Legion Auxiliary, with help of the Post, is planning a special observance on May 29 at the Greenwood Town Hall in Locke Mills. The building is handicapped accessible. All World War II veterans from West Paris north to Woodstock, Greenwood, Bethel, Newry, Gilead and Milton are invited. A noon lunch of soup, salads, sandwiches and dessert will be served free to WW II veterans and the person who accompanies them. Some entertainment will follow, which includes the Barber Shop harmony of "Four on a Match" and some other musical groups.

It is hoped that when the formal dedication takes place in Washington, D.C., at 2 p.m. it can be shown on a large-screen TV. if one can be borrowed. Cable has already been installed at the hall for this purpose. If anyone is willing to loan such a TV, please let the auxiliary know.

The auxiliary will accept help from other posts and auxiliaries in the area and other organizations who may wish to take part. Transportation is one thing that may be needed for veterans who might wish to attend but have no way of getting there.

In order to judge the amount of food needed, would World War II veterans please let us know if you would like to attend and if you may need transportation. Call Olive Risko at 665-2909 or the Legion Hall at 875-2375 and leave messages on answering machines, if you have not received an answer.

From

Oxford County Democrats

Democratic candidates from throughout Oxford County accompanied Governor John Baldacci at a series of events in the Oxford Hills area on May 12. Marge Medd of Norway, chairperson of the Growth Council, and Senate candidate in District 13, joined the governor in breaking ground for the new Oxford Business Park. Senator Bruce Bryant of Dixfield, who is seeking re-election in District 14 and Roy Gedat of Norway, House candidate in District 95, were among the community leaders attending the event. Prior to the groundbreaking ceremony, the governor visited Maine Machine Products in South Paris. Also in attendance were Terry Hayes of Buckfield, House candidate in District 94, Medd, Bryant and County Committee Chairwoman Cathy Newell of Greenwood.

The governor attended a tour of the C.B. Cummings Mill property in Norway, hosted by the Growth Council and the Norway Downtown Committee. Candidates Medd, Bryant, and Gedat accompanied him, and then the group moved on to the Norway Head Start Center for a snack break with preschool students and their teachers. The governor participated in a social service roundtable hosted by Charleen Chase, CEO of Community Concepts. Attending were Roy Gedat, who is completing 18 years as director of the Child Health Center, as he launches his legislative campaign, as well as Senator Bryant, Marge Medd, Dennis Gray of United Way of Oxford County, and Dennis Lajoie, Mike Burke, and Connie Allen of Community Concepts.

The fundraising reception, sponsored by the Oxford County Democratic Committee, was well attended by candidates from the area including Medd, Bryant, Gedat and Timothy Carter of Bethel, House candidate for District 91, Gordon Fuller, House candidate for District 99, Marlee Turner of Brownfield, House candidate for District 97, David Ivey of Oxford, House candidate for District 100, and George Driscoll, candidate for County Commissioner. Senator Bryant introduced the governor and Senate President Beverly Daggett, Majority Leader Sharon Treat and Senator Beth Edmonds, who were among the attendees.

The governor's day in Oxford Hills concluded with a chicken dinner at the Second Congregational Church in Norway, prepared and served by the church's Youth Group. Choral selections were provided by a talented group from Oxford Hills Comprehensive High School. Governor Baldacci was accompanied by his son, Jack.

The County Committee will hold its May meeting at the Democratic Convention, which will be held in Portland on May 21, 22, and 23. Anyone interested in information about involvement with the Democratic Party in Oxford County may contact Chairwoman Newell at 875-2116.

From the

Bethel Area Chamber of Commerce

The McLaughlin Foundation, Garden & Horticultural Center, 97 Main Street, South Paris, is pleased to host Business After Hours tonight, Thursday, May 20, from 5:30 to 7:30 p.m. Chef Jason Robinson will be highlighting some dishes from their Garden Cafe menu which is poised to open Memorial Day weekend. Bring your business card — they will be raffling off a beautiful lilac shrub just in time for lilac season. They can't wait to have you see the Garden — just perfect for viewing the unbelievable display of lilacs. This alone is well worth the drive. If you have never been to The McLaughlin Foundation, this is the perfect opportunity to go and support a fellow chamber member.

Last Friday's annual Awards Dinner and Auction went swimmingly. The recipients were honored and the silent auction raised needed funds. Thanks again to our sponsor Mt. Abram Family Resort, our site host Sunday River Ski Resort, and to all of you who bid high on the auction. There is a photo of all the award recipients elsewhere this issue.

We have confirmed our entertainment for the 15th annual Bethel Art Fair, scheduled for Saturday, July 3, as the Women of Note from Yarmouth. They, along with help from Rob Robbins of the Bethel Inn, will be performing on the gazebo from 11 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. in two sets, with a short break. We have a full complement of vendor booths booked with some of our favorite artists and artisans returning as well as some new faces. In addition, lots of delicious food, and a children's art activity area will complete the day's activities. Many thanks to our sponsors: Coca Cola Bottling of Northern New England, the Bethel Inn and Country Club, W.J. Wheeler & Co., Inc., Western Maine Health, the Maine Press, Portland Natural Gas Transmission Systems, the Good Food Store, Northeast Bank Financial Services and the River View Resort.

The Key Bank/Mollyockett Day Classic will again be the "kick-off" to the Mollyockett Day celebration on Saturday, July 17. Event applications are nearly ready and will be available next week. All are welcome to participate and there is something for every fitness buff. For the young children, up to age 14, we offer a one-mile fun run, starting at 8:30 a.m. in front of the Bethel Inn. A gentle one-mile course up Mason Street to the Crescent Park School and back to the start will be lined by well-wishers. At 9 a.m., a five-mile more challenging loop will begin. A 2½-mile walking event will begin at the same time. We have lots of prizes and a beautiful commemorative t-shirt will be offered once again. Many thanks to our sponsors: Key Bank, Pepsi, Irving Oil, NTL Institute, and Goodwin's Insurance.

From the

Bethel Historical Society's Regional History Center

The first lecture in the Bethel Historical Society's 2004 series was held May 13, in the Dr. Moses Mason House Exhibit Hall. Howard Reiche and Hugh Chapman were the featured speakers on "Highlights of the History of Gilead, Maine" as part of the society's recognition of the celebration of this western Maine town's bicentenary. Hugh Chapman described how he came to gather material and find someone to continue the research and writing of the book that came out of this effort, "The Smile of Providence: A History of Gilead , Maine." Howard Reiche of Falmouth described the evolution of Gilead from the early 19th century to the present. As the town was divided by the Androscoggin River, many institutions were present on both sides of it, including churches and schools. There was, however, but one store in town on the south side of the river. Gilead was once known for its boarding houses and a rail line that ran from Gilead village to Hastings village in Batchelder's Grant. Farming and logging were the principal occupations of most of the residents through much of the town's history. The presentation was completed with several slides of old photographs of Gilead. Refreshments of a special Gilead birthday cake, ice cream and cake completed the evening's festivities. Recognition was also made that this month marks the 30th anniversary of Stanley R. Howe's assumption of duties as chief administrator of the Bethel Historical Society.

The Faye Taylor Art Show is scheduled for May 29, at the Exhibit Hall. The theme this year is "River Ferries on the Androscoggin." Students in SAD44 (Grades 1-6) are urged to enter the contest. For more information call the society office at 824-2908.

Also on May 29, the society will hold its annual St. Never's Day sale. Items in good condition (no clothes please) are still being collected for the sale. They may be left at the back entrance of O'Neil Robinson House, 10 Broad Street. If pick-up is necessary, please call the society at 824-2908.

The last class of the winter/spring course offered by the society, "Canada and Northern New England," was held April 29 at the O'Neil Robinson House. As this session focused on the 20th century, issues such as trade, fisheries agreements, immigration, wartime conditions and border crossing were among those discussed. Two individuals were the focus of discussion as well: Kenneth Colin Irving, who created a multi-billion dollar empire in New Brunswick, and Clarence Decatur Howe American born (Waltham Mass.), who emigrated to Halifax, Nova Scotia, to teach engineering at Dalhousie University following his graduation from M.I.T. Irving's sons now carry on the father's work and Irving filling stations are now a common sight in northern New England. Irving is also at present the largest landowner in Maine as well. C. D. Howe went on to become a successful engineer, owning his own firm before entering Canadian politics in 1935, serving in a number of portfolios, in addition to being the trusted adviser and the English-Canadian counterpart to Prime Minister Louis St. Laurent. In World War II, he led the Canadian war supply effort. His parents and sister are buried in East Bethel among the many Bethel relatives at rest in that cemetery.

From the

White Mountain National Forest

Kids can learn to fish and try their luck on the shore of Wildcat Pond at Wildcat Ski Area on Route 16 in Gorham, N.H. June 5, during the WMNF's 13th annual Kids Free Fishing Day. Kids aged 15 and under are invited to bring an adult and their gear. There will also be learning stations, activities, prizes, and a casting contest.

Registration begins at 9 a.m., with activities ending at noon. There is no charge, and families are welcome to stay and fish in the afternoon.

The day is sponsored by the WMNF in partnership with N.H. Fish and Game, Wildcat Mountain Ski Area, Wal-Mart, and the Appalachian Mountain Club. For more information, call the USFS at (603) 466-2713 ext. 232, TTY 466-2856.

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School Sports

High School Varsity Baseball

Telstar 12, Lisbon 8; May 17— Telstar's Billy Mitchell had three hits and Casey Fleet, Peter Poor and August Reiss two each in a win over Lisbon. Josh Longway had a triple and Fleet, Mitchell, Reiss, Poor and Jake Largess each had doubles. Terry Collins was the winning pitcher.

High School Varsity Softball

Telstar 2, Lisbon 0; May 17— Telstar's Jillian Kimball pitched a two-hitter and struck out five in a win over Lisbon. Jessie Farrington had three hits and the Rebel defense made no errors.

Telstar 12, Madison 0; May 14— Telstar pitcher Jillian Kimball retired 18 batters in a row after allowing a leadoff single, as the Rebels defeated Madison. Kayla Mills had four hits and three RBIs, and Santana Wilson had three hits and three RBIs. Kimball had two doubles and three RBIs. Ashley Stambolis had a double.

High School JV Softball

Telstar 15, Gorham, NH 12; May 17— Telstar's Kara Thurlow had the hot bat, missing the cycle by a homerun. Kara ripped the cover off the ball going 4 for 4 with 2 singles, a double, and a triple. Danna Wilson chipped in going 2 for 2 with triple and a single. Lacey Gammon and Jessica James each scored 3 runs. Tonie Morin picked up the win on the mound with a season high 8 strikeouts. "The team is hitting the ball really well and the defense is coming along," said coach Kim Kangas.

Telstar 12 Madison 24; May 14— Telstar's Kristie Carver hit her first triple of the season in a loss to Madison. Steph Tripp added a hit and had a great defensive game. Kayla Damon contributed 2 hits and a scored run. Coach Kangas

Telstar 10, Monmouth Academy 6; May 13— Telstar played its best game of the season with a 10-6 win over Monmouth, to extend their record to 4-3. Tonie Morin pitched a great game to pick up the win on the mound striking out 5 and only walking 1. Kara Thurlow had 2 doubles and Steph Tripp had 2 hits. Jessica James and Kara Thurlow had great defensive games.

Women's Varsity Lacrosse

Gould 13, Hyde 3; May 12 - The Gould women's varsity lacrosse team did it again, they made it to the MAISAD finals. To get to the finals Gould had to beat Kents Hill School, who was the number four seed. Gould won easily, beating Kents Hill 13-3. Strong performances were put in by all, with great goaltending by Jen, who had 13 saves. Hannah and Lauren had a couple great interceptions and kept the ball away from # 17. On attack Betsy led the scoring with 6 goals and an assist, Sara had 2 goals and 4 assists, Maddie had 2 goals, Mallory had a goal and assist, Katie and Bailey each added one to round out the attack's scoring.

Men's Varsity Baseball

Hebron 16, Gould 15; May 12 — Gould baseball team will not be around to defend its two straight MAISAD championships as it fell to Hebron in the MAISAD semi-final game last Wednesday. Trailing 11-6, the Huskies rallied, as they have the last half of the season, though it came to an end with the bases loaded. The story of the game was poor fielding, 10 errors and 10 unearned runs, too much to overcome. Seniors Quinn McAllister, Jon Monson and Haku Shimizu finished their GA baseball careers with style. Quinn pitched a gutsy four innings, two days after a major operation, going 2-2 and reaching base 5 times. Haku was 3-4 and was walked intentionally, fearing what might happen if they let him hit again. Jon played another strong game at the hot corner, with two assists and a put out. At bat he reached base three times.

Women's Varsity Tennis

MAISAD Singles Championship; May 12 — Brie Noyes, Mason Friedman and Eliza Van Heerden all traveled to Hebron to compete for the MAISAD Singles Championship. Mason Friedman played one of the first matches of the tournament and won by a nose in a tiebreaker (9-8, 7-0). She then went on to her second match against the number one seed overall and lost a tiring match, 1-8. Eliza Van Heerden lost a closely contested match but just barely, losing 8-6. Brie Noyes won her first match 8-5 and then went on to beat Kents Hill's number two player in two straight sets (6-0, 6-1).

MAISAD Doubles Championship; May 15 — Andrea DeCaro, Maleah Piazza, Liz Carson, and Laura Miklos all traveled to Hebron to play for the MAISAD Doubles Championship. Under a scorching sun, all four girls played very competitive tennis. DeCaro and Piazza faced Hebron's number two team and, despite a late set comeback, lost 8-3. Carson and Miklos, riding a late season improvement, played a very competitive set with many great volleys at the net but eventually lost 8-5.

TMS Varsity Baseball

Telstar 6, Dirigo 5; May 18— Telstar pulled out a last-inning win against Dirigo. Mike Fleet pitched 4 2/3 with 3 strike-outs only two walks and pitched consistent strikes. Andrew Buck came into the game for the last 2 1/3 innings to shut down Dirigo's attack and strike out two batters. Mike Fleet helped his team with a home run and a double, Andy Whitney had two singles, was on base 5 times and scored 3 times, one the game winning run, Andrew Buck hit a game winning double, Matt Farrington and James Kimball each hit a single.

Telstar 11, Berlin 7; May 17—Telstar's Andy Whitney pitched consistent strikes to keep the Rebels in the game. Mike Fleet led all hitting with a double and two singles and scored three times. while Whitney, Andrew Buck, Gavin Broomhall, and James Kimball all had singles.

TMS JV Baseball

Telstar 13, Madison 1; May 14— Telstar got good pitching from Nate Walker who had 7 strikeouts. The Rebels were led offensively by Blake Conrad who had 3 singles. Nate Walker had 2 singles.

Telstar 3, Monmouth 2; May 13— A great pitching performance was given by Louis Thornton, who struck out 7 while walking 2. The telstar offense was paced by Allen Buck and Blake Conrad who had 2 hits each.

TMS Softball

Berlin 14, Telstar 13; May 17— Telstar lost a hard fought game at Berlin in the bottom of the 7th inning. Whitney Mills and Vicki Rice combined for a solid pitching performance but some well placed hits in the gaps made the difference. Offensively Nikki Hughes led the way with a grand slam and a double, Josie Reiss with a three run homer and a single. Mills with three singles, Bailey Davis with a double and two singles, Abby Hutchins, Rice, and Abbie Cummings with two hits each, Katie Smith, Esther Pew. Sarah Field, and Julia Stambolis with one hit each. The team is now 6-2 on the season.

TMS Girls' Track

Meet at Oxford Hills; May 12: Oxford Hills, Tripp, Telstar. Telstar placed third. Individual results: Brianne Bailey: first in 800m run,2:45.72; first and new school record (breaking her own) in triple jump, 29'3;" Kelsey Gamble: fourth in 1,600m run, 8: 15.8; Kassandra Haines: first in discus, 61'7"; second in shotput, 22'7"; Bethany O'Neil: fourth in 200m sprint, 31:76; Stephanie Savage: second in 800m run, 3:00.15; 4X100m relay team: third (1: 05.09) (Bethany O'Neil, Michelle Aron, Brittany Clark, Roxanne Jewell); 4X400m relay team: third (5:34.27) (Brianne Bailey, Kate Gibson, Lisa Aron, Stephanie Savage).

TMS Boys' Track

Meet at Oxford Hills; May 12: Oxford Hills, Tripp, Telstar. Telstar placed third. Individual results: Tim Aguilar: third in long jump, 13'11"; Patrick Gallagher: fourth in the Shotput, 23'2"; Terry Gordon: first in discus, 100'10.5"; *first and new school record (breaking his own) in the 60m hurdles, 10.57; John Lewis: second in 200m sprint, 28.99; third in 800m run, 2:43.69, fourth in long jump, 13'4"; Patrick Milligan: second in shotput, 27'11"; second in discus, 97'2"; Jonathon Parsons: first in high jump, 4'10"; second in triple jump, 30'10"; 4X100m relay team: second (54.72) (Terry Gordon, John Lewis, Tim Aguilar, Patrick Gallagher); 4X400m relay team: third (5:16.17) (Jonathon Parsons, Jimmy Gibson, Alex Gundersen, Thomas Henley).

School Lunch - Week of May 24

Telstar and Middle School Lunches

Monday: Bacon cheeseburger, homemade pasta salad. Special: mushroom and cheese pizza.
Tuesday: Cheesy Macaroni, hot veggies, dinner roll. Special: cheeseburger calzone.
Wednesday: Peggy's homemade pasta/meat sauce, bread sticks. Special: bacon pizza.
Thursday: Hot turkey and stuffing sandwich w/gravy, veggies. Special: italian cold cut pizza.
Friday: Pizza "twigs", veggie "twigs," pudding "things." Special: pepperoni and green pepper pizza.
Choice of milk and fresh or portioned fruit or fruit juice each meal.

SAD44 Elementary Schools Lunches

Monday: Cheeseburger/bun, french fries.
Tuesday: Macaroni and cheese, hot veggies.
Wednesday: Spaghetti/meat sauce, dinner roll.
Thursday: Open faced turkey sandwich w/gravy, hot veggie.
Friday: Pizza sticks, veggie sticks, sticky treats.
Choice of milk and fruit each meal.
Weekly alternates: Yogurt/cheese "Fun" lunch, triple peanut butter and jelly sandwich, assorted salads.

Oxford Hills District

Monday: Corn dog, potato puffs, sliced peaches, milk.
Tuesday: Peanut butter and jelly sandwich, string cheese, orange halves, milk.
Wednesday: Meatball sub, celery sticks, apple, milk.
Thursday: Chicken nuggets w/sweet and sour sauce, french fries, kiwi, milk.
Friday: Early release day. Hot dog/roll, baked beans, applesauce, milk.

IN CONCERT The sixth annual Telstar Spring Concert took place Tuesday evening, with performances by the bands and choruses of the high and middle schools, as well as the Telstar Jazz Band. Shown here are (from left): Amy Jane Mahar, Peter Cowin, John Lewis and A.J. Hebert. *(Photo by A. Aloisio)*

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Telstar Regional High School Announces the Top 10 Scholars of 2004

Telstar Regional High School staff and students are pleased to recognize the honor students from the graduating class of 2004. These ten individuals have distinguished themselves throughout their high school careers. The Telstar community congratulates these young scholars for their commitment to their studies, their school, and their communities.

Megan Kathryn Kelly
Valedictorian

Valedictorian this year is Megan Kathryn Kelly, daughter of T.J. Kelly of Hopkinton, Mass. and Kathy Kelly of Bryant Pond. Megan has numerous academic achievements. She has received Academic Excellence awards in all subject areas and is a recipient of the Phi Beta Kappa Association of Maine, 2004 Maine Principals' Association, Smith College Book, Bausch & Lomb Science, Maine Scholars Achievement, President's Educational Awards Program for Outstanding Academic Excellence and National Leadership Merit awards. Megan has been published in *Who's Who Among American High School Students* and is an All American Scholar.

Outside the classroom, Megan is involved in many activities. She has been Co-President of Student Council and secretary of the National Honor Society for the past two years. She is a member of Youth Empowering Students at Telstar, Prom Committee, Peer Mediators, the Freshman Awareness Committee and Graduation Committee. Megan was also a cast member in last year's spring musical. Her varied volunteer work includes: helping organize several Red Cross blood drives through NHS, Read Across America Volunteer, help with March of Dimes local events and participation in a smoking awareness program at the Woodstock Elementary School.

Megan enjoys spending time with her friends and family, music and babysitting. She will attend the University of Maine in Orono, where she plans to major in Elementary Education and hopes to be a Kindergarten teacher.

Santana Marie Wilson
Salutatorian

Santana Marie Wilson is Salutatorian. She is the daughter of David and Sheri Wilson of Greenwood. Among Santana's academic achievements are the President's Educational Awards Program Award for Outstanding Academic Excellence, the Maine Scholar's Achievement Award, Society of Women Engineers Award, National Leadership Merit Award, and Academic Excellence awards in all subject areas. She is also published in *Who's Who Among American High School Students*, an All American Scholar and an All American Scholar Athlete for hockey and basketball.

Santana is very active outside the classroom. She is a member of Big Sisters, Youth Empowering Students at Telstar, Peer Mediators, Freshman Awareness Committee, National Honor Society, Yearbook Staff, Graduation Committee, Prom Committee, Rotary-Sponsored Interact Club and is a Dirigo Girls State delegate. As an accomplished athlete, Santana has played four years of field hockey, basketball and softball. The senior field hockey co-captain was also named to the All-State and Mountain Valley Conference All-Star teams. She received the field hockey Varsity Rookie of the Year Award her freshman year and a Four-Year Varsity Starter Award. She has received coaches' awards in basketball and softball. She was named to the Mountain Valley Conference All-Star Academic Team for field hockey

Santana enjoys camping with family and friends and tap dancing. She will attend the University of Maine in Orono to study kinesiology.

Lindsey May Farrington
Third Honors

Lindsey May Farrington, daughter of Mark and Sharon Farrington of Andover, has earned Third Honors. Lindsey has had much success in the classroom, earning a spot on the Honor Roll every quarter of her high school career. She has received Academic Excellence awards in Science, Consumer Science, Math, Spanish and Social Studies. Lindsey has been published in *Who's Who Among American High School Students* and is a National Leadership Merit Award winner. She has also received a President's Educational Awards Program Award for Outstanding Academic Excellence and is an All American Scholar.

Lindsey's activities outside the classroom include: Future Business Leaders of America, Prom Committee, National Honor Society, Job Bank, Graduation Committee, Rotary-Sponsored Interact Club and Senior Class Treasurer. She was a Dirigo Girls State delegate and was a varsity softball manager for the past two years. Her volunteer work includes helping with Read Across America, American Red Cross blood drives, NHS Senior Citizen Thanksgiving dinners and Andover Alumni banquets.

Lindsey enjoys swimming, camping, cooking shows and long vacations. She plans to attend the University of Maine at Machias as a biology major.

Alanna Jade Borst
Fourth Honors

Alanna Jade Borst has earned fourth honors. She is the daughter of David and Diane Borst of Greenwood. Among the awards she has received at Telstar include consistent placement on the high honor and honor rolls, Academic Excellence Awards in a variety of subjects and publication in *Who's Who Among American High School Students*. She has received the National Leadership Merit Award and the All American Scholar Award.

Alanna is a member of Youth Empowering Students at Telstar, Peer Mediators, Big Sisters, Freshman Awareness Committee, Yearbook Staff and is this year's National Honor Society president. She is Senior Class Co-President and was class treasurer her Junior year. She played four years of field hockey for Telstar and was named to the Mountain Valley Conference All-Star Academic Field Hockey team and received an All American Scholar Athlete Award for field hockey.

Alanna enjoys shopping and spending time with family and friends. She plans to attend the University of Maine in Orono.

Andrew Allen Lowe
Fifth Honors

Andrew Allen Lowe, son of Alan and Christina Lowe of Bethel, has earned fifth honors. His awards at Telstar include Academic Excellence in Consumer Science, Social Studies, Science and English and consistent honor roll placement. Andy has also received a Maine Scholars Achievement Award and a National Leadership Merit Award. He is an All American Scholar and is published in *Who's Who Among American High School Students*. Andy also received the President's Educational Awards Program award for Outstanding Academic Excellence.

Andy is a member of the Freshman Awareness Committee and Prom Committee. He was also a Dirigo Boys State delegate.

Andy enjoys being with friends, watching movies, video games and target practice. He plans to study biochemistry at the University of Maine in Orono.

Eliot Nicolas Poirier
Sixth Honors

Eliot Nicolas Poirier has earned sixth honors. He is the son of Michael and Caro Poirier of Gilead. During his Telstar career, Eliot earned Academic Excellence awards in English, Social Studies, Health and Science. He is also a National Leadership Merit Award Winner and is published in *Who's Who Among American High School Students*. He also received the President's Educational Awards Program award for Outstanding Academic Excellence

Eliot has played four years of soccer for Telstar and was named to the Mountain Valley Conference Academic All-Star Soccer team. He also snowboarded as a freshman. Eliot was a cast member in last year's spring musical and is a member of the Freshman Awareness and Prom Committees.

Eliot enjoys music, swimming, movies, reading, writing, playing ice hockey, weight lifting and exercise. He will attend Roger Williams University and major in English Literature.

Zane Eric Howe
Seventh Honors

Zane Eric Howe has earned seventh honors. He is the son of Clifford and Ruth Howe of Bryant Pond. Among Zane's academic awards are Academic Excellence Awards in English, Area Studies, Math and Wood Technology. He is also published in *Who's Who Among American High School Students* and is a National Leadership Merit Award winner and All American Scholar.

Zane was a crew member for two Telstar musical productions. He has also skied and been a track team member at Telstar. He often helps his neighbors by cleaning, plowing and mowing yards for them.

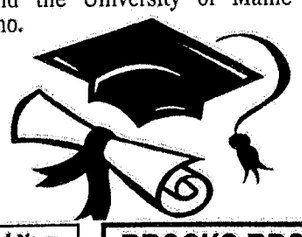
Zane is an outdoorsman who enjoys fishing, canoeing, four-wheeling and hunting. He also enjoys being with friends, driving and movies. He plans to attend Central Maine Community College to study to become an electrician.

Dorcey Alease Dunn
Eighth Honors

Dorcey Alease Dunn, daughter of Glenn Dunn of Andover and Marlene Berry of Lincolnville, has earned eighth honors. Dorcey has received Academic Excellence Awards in Consumer Science, English, Math, Science, Spanish and Health. She is a recipient of the National Leadership Merit Award and President's Educational Awards Program award for Outstanding Academic Excellence.

Dorcey is a member of the Yearbook Staff and Graduation Committee. She has played softball for Telstar and has volunteered at the Sunday River Daycare facility.

Dorcey enjoys dance classes, shopping and being with friends. She will attend the University of Maine in Orono.



Elizabeth Ashley Witt
Ninth Honors

Elizabeth Ashley Witt has earned ninth honors. Elizabeth is the daughter of Edward and Diana Witt of Andover. She is consistently on the honor roll and has won Academic Excellence Awards in English, Social Studies, Math and Consumer Science. Elizabeth is a National Leadership Merit Award winner and is published in *Who's Who Among American High School Students* and *USAA National Awards Yearbook*. She also received the President's Educational Awards Program Award for Outstanding Academic Excellence.

Elizabeth's activities outside the classroom include Future Business Leaders of America, Student Council, Prom Committee and Graduation Committee. She has been a member of the Yearbook Staff the past two years and is currently Yearbook Editor.

Elizabeth enjoys reading and listening to music. She plans to attend a college for accounting or business administration.

Jacob Bernard Largess
Tenth Honors

Jacob Bernard Largess, son of James and Bonnie Largess of Newry, has earned tenth honors. Jake makes frequent honor roll appearances and has received an Academic Excellence Award in English, a Maine Scholars Achievement Award, a National Leadership Merit Award and is an All American Scholar. He has also been published in *Who's Who Among American High School Students*, and was a Dirigo Boys State Delegate. He received the President's Educational Awards Program award for Outstanding Academic Excellence.

Jake is four-year member of the Telstar soccer, baseball and alpine ski teams. His skiing awards include being named to the Maine State Ski Team, the Mountain Valley Conference All-Star Alpine Ski Team and the Eastern High Schools Ski Team. He was named to the Mountain Valley Conference Academic All-Star Soccer Team. He is also an All American Scholar Athlete for soccer and alpine skiing. Jake is active in Chorus, National Honor Society and has volunteered for the March of Dimes. He is a member of Big Brothers, the Freshman Awareness Committee and the Prom Committee.

Jake enjoys water skiing, basketball and being with friends. He will attend Roger Williams University in Bristol, Rhode Island.

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Gould Academy Class of 2004 Top Ten

Quinn McAllister, the son of Scott and Sharon McAllister of Bethel, is valedictorian of Gould Academy's Class of 2004. A member of the National Honor Society and a student proctor, he has attended Gould for five years, including an eighth grade winter term during which he pursued competitive alpine skiing. His awards and recognitions while a student at Gould include: Mathematics, French II, and History Book Awards in 2001; Sophomore Chemistry Book Award in 2002; and French III Book Award, Mathematics Book Award, and Rensselaer Award in 2003. He has been active as a peer tutor in the Math Center and a member of the varsity baseball, basketball, and soccer teams. He plans a career in engineering and will attend Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute in the fall.

Matthew Stephen Humbert, salutatorian, is the son of Judi Brissette of Shelburne, N.H. and Olivier Humbert of Magnolia, Mass. A head proctor and member of the National Honor Society, he has attended Gould for four years. While a student at Gould he received the Nature of Science Book Award in 2001, and the Bausch and Lomb Science Award in 2003. He is a peer tutor in the Math Center, and has been an active member of the Gould woodsmen's team, Nordic ski team, and he is currently playing goalie for the varsity lacrosse team. He will matriculate at the Massachusetts Institute of Technology in the fall.

Katrina Boelsma is the daughter of Anston and Jeanne Boelsma of Bethel. As a student at Gould she has passionately pursued her interest in Environmental Science, and has involved herself in social and environmental activism. A competitive Nordic skier and member of the cross-country and cycling teams, she has attended Gould for two years. She will attend Bates College in the fall.

Ian Hayden Dorsey is the son of George and Sarah Dorsey of Freeport. He has attended Gould for two years, and is a peer tutor in the Writing Center. His activities have included the Farm and Forest program, and membership on the varsity tennis team. He plans to attend the University of Maine at Orono, where he will study engineering.

Charles Edwards, a four-year student at Gould, is the son of Martha and Clark Edwards of Montague, Mass. He is a head proctor and a member of the National Honor Society. As a student at Gould he received the following awards and recognitions: Latin II and History Book Awards in 2002, and the Junior History Book Award and Edmond J. Vachon Award in 2003. He was captain of the varsity soccer team, and he is currently captain of the varsity lacrosse team. He plans to attend either the University of Massachusetts or the University of North Carolina Chapel Hill in the fall.

Whitney Farnsworth Hilton is the daughter of Mark and Anne Hilton of Newbury, N.H. A student proctor and a three-year student at Gould, she is a competitive alpine skier and hopes to one day compete on the US Ski Team. She is a peer tutor in the Writing and Math centers, and plays on the varsity women's lacrosse team. Next year she plans to take a postgraduate year to advance as a skier before going on to college.

Elizabeth Suzanne Jorgensen is the daughter of Steve and Sara Jorgensen of Brooklyn, N.Y. A student at Gould for two years, she has been very active in Gould's drama program and student government. She is currently playing softball, and was the co-captain of the rec. ski team this winter. She plans to attend Colby College in the fall.

Erik James Lightbody is the son of James and Mary Shainin Lightbody of Guilford, and is a four-year senior at Gould Academy. He is a member of the National Honor Society, a student proctor, and a peer tutor in the Writing Center. He has been very active in Gould's performing arts programs, both as an actor and a member of the drama tech crew. He will attend St. Michael's College in the fall.

Alexander Winfield Thompson is the son of David and Lesley Thompson of Palos Verdes Estates, Calif. A student at Gould for three years, he is a student proctor, a member of the National Honor Society, and in 2002 he received the Mathematics Book Award. During the summer of 2003 he attended a summer business program at the Wharton School of Business, and in his senior year he has been an active volunteer in the Communications office at Gould. He has been an active member of the freestyle ski team and the skateboarding team. He will matriculate at Boston College in the fall.

Christopher Stanwood Thompson is the son of David and Lesley Thompson of Palos Verdes Estates, Calif.. A student at Gould for three years, he is a student proctor, a member of the National Honor Society, and he is a peer tutor in the Math Center. During the summer of 2003 he attended a summer business program at the Wharton School of Business, and in his senior year he has been an active volunteer in the Communications office at Gould. He has also been a member of the freestyle ski team and skateboarding team. He will matriculate at Boston College in the fall.

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THURSDAY EVENING MAY 20, 2004

	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
(3)	King	'70s Show	WWE SmackDown!				News		Frasier	Spin City
(32)	7th Heaven		Movie: "Stuart Little"				Whose?	Whose?	The 700 Club	
6	News	Seinfeld	Friends	Seinfeld	Friends		Law Order CI		News	
8	Fortune	Jeopardy!	Makeover: Home		Primetime Thursday		Super Millionaire		News	
10	News-Lehrer		Old House	Made In	Maine	Maine	Forest Ran Red		Charlie Rose	
(22)	NBA Basketball: Conference Semifinal Game 7 -- Teams TBA					NBA Basketball: Conference Semifinal Game 7 -- Teams TBA				
(34)	Star Trek: Deep Space 9		Star Trek: Deep Space 9		MXC	MXC	MXC	MXC	MXC	MXC
13	Friends	Ent. Tonight	CSI: Crime Scn		CSI: Crime Scn		Without a Trace		News	
(41)	Sports	NASCAR	FOX One	Best Damn Sports Show Period			Sports	Sports	Best Damn Sports Show	
(15)	"P.C.U."	Real Sports		Movie: "Minority Report"					Porn 101: XXXtra Credit	
(17)	Sister, Sis.	Lizzie	Lady and the Tramp II: Scamp			Barbarian	Sister, Sis.	Boy World	Kim	Proud
(18)	"FeardotCom" Cont'd		Movie: "48 HRS."				Movie: "Charlie's Angels: Full Throttle"			
(20)	MLB Baseball: Boston Red Sox at Tampa Bay Devil Rays						Innings	Extra Inn	SportsPlus	ESPNews
(44)	The Nanny	The Nanny	Providence		Movie: "Tell Me No Secrets"				What Should You Do?	
(5)	Friends	MLB Baseball: Arizona Diamondbacks at Atlanta Braves						Movie: "EDtv"		
(24)	Rugrats	SpongeBob	Oddparents	Sabrina	Full House	Full House	Cosby	Cosby	Roseanne	Roseanne
(25)	"The War of the Worlds"		Movie: "Zulu"						Movie: "The Leopard"	
(26)	JAG		Law & Order		Movie: "Meet the Parents"					The Breaks
(27)	American Justice		Cold Case Files				Teen Thrill Killers		Third Watch	
(12)	Will-Grace	Home Imp.	Movie: "The Year of Living Dangerously"					DVD	Becker	Becker
(39)	Anderson Cooper 360		Paula Zahn Now		Larry King Live		NewsNight-Aaron Brown		Lou Dobbs Tonight	

FRIDAY EVENING MAY 21, 2004

	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
(3)	MLB Baseball: Toronto Blue Jays at Boston Red Sox						News		Frasier	Spin City
(32)	7th Heaven		Movie: "The Sandlot"				Whose?	Whose?	The 700 Club	
6	News	Seinfeld	Dateline NBC		The 31st Annual Daytime Emmy Awards				News	
8	Fortune	Jeopardy!	George Lopez		20/20				News	
10	News-Lehrer		Wash Wk	Maine.	Keeping Up	Time Goes	Black Adder	Wall	Now With Bill Moyers	
(22)	Hangtime	NHL Hockey: Conference Final Game 7 -- Teams TBA					Baseball Tonight		SportsCenter	
(34)	Star Trek: Deep Space 9		Star Trek: Deep Space 9		Star Trek: Deep Space 9		Star Trek: Deep Space 9		CSI: Crime Scn	
13	Friends	Ent. Tonight	Joan of Arcadia		JAG		CSI: Miami		News	
(41)	Sports	NASCAR	America	Best Damn Sports Show Period			Sports	Sports	Best Damn Sports Show	
(15)	Movie: "The Ring" Cont'd		Deadwood		Deadwood		Deadwood		On the Record	
(17)	So Raven	Lizzie	Movie: "Air Bud: Golden Receiver"			Kim	Barbarian	So Raven	Kim	Proud
(18)	Movie: "The Saint" Cont'd			Movie: "Malibu's Most Wanted"			Movie: "Catch Me if You Can"			
(20)	MLB Baseball: Toronto Blue Jays at Boston Red Sox						Innings	Extra Inn	Sports	ESPNews
(44)	Merge		Providence		Movie: "Facing the Enemy"				Merge	
(5)	Friends	MLB Baseball: Los Angeles Dodgers at Atlanta Braves						Movie: "Conspiracy Theory"		
(24)	Rugrats	SpongeBob	Neutron	Phantom	Robot	ChalkZone	Cosby	Cosby	Roseanne	Roseanne
(25)	Movie: "Zulu" Cont'd		Movie: "Star Trek III: The Search for Spock"				Movie: "Dracula"			
(26)	JAG		Law & Order		Law & Order		Touching Evil		Law & Order	
(27)	American Justice		Biography				Biography			
(12)	Will-Grace	Home Imp	Movie: "Hide and Seek"				WGN News at Nine		Becker	Becker
(39)	Anderson Cooper 360		Paula Zahn Now		Larry King Live		NewsNight-Aaron Brown		Lou Dobbs Tonight	

SATURDAY EVENING MAY 22, 2004

	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
(3)	Fortune	Jeopardy!	Red Sox	TBA	Star Trek: Enterprise		News	Red Sox	Walker, Texas Ranger	
(32)	"Getting There" Cont'd		Movie: "Romy and Michele's High School Reunion"				Movie: "Home Fries"			
6	Maine	Seinfeld	Movie: "Jurassic Park"						News	Sat. Night
8	Fortune	Jeopardy!	Nick & Jessica		Movie: "The Fast and the Furious"				News	Raceline
10	Made In	What's for	Colonial House				Colonial House			
(22)	SportsCtr	NBA	NBA Basketball: Eastern Conference Final Game 1 -- Teams TBA				SportsCenter			
(34)	WWE Velocity		Ride	Ride	Trucks!	Trucks!	Horsepower	Horsepower	Car	Car
13	Entertainment Tonight		Price Is Right		Dick Van Dyke Revisited		Carol Burnett Show		News	Andromeda
(41)	College Track and Field: Pac-10 Championships				Boxing		Best Damn Sports Show		America	See This
(15)	"Showtime" Cont'd		Movie: "Deliver Us From Eva"			Boxing: DeMarcus Corely vs. Floyd Mayweather				
(17)	So Raven	Lizzie	Movie: "The Emperor's New Groove"			Lilo & Stitch	Barbarian	So Raven	Kim	Proud
(18)	"Old School" Cont'd		Movie: "Eight Legged Freaks"				Movie: "Bend It Like Beckham"			
(20)	MLB Baseball: Toronto Blue Jays at Boston Red Sox						Innings	Extra Inn	ESPNews	
(44)	Movie: "Degree of Guilt"								1-800-Missing	
(5)	Movie: "Set It Off"				Movie: "Gone in Sixty Seconds"					Terminal
(24)	Drake	SpongeBob	Grown Up	Romeo!	All That	Amanda	Cosby	Cosby	Roseanne	Roseanne
(25)	Star Trek III		Movie: "Mississippi Burning"					Movie: "Airport 1975"		
(26)	Law & Order		Law & Order		Law & Order		Law & Order		Law Order CI	
(27)	City Confidential		American Justice		Cold Case Files		City Confidential		Crossing Jordan	
(12)	MLB Baseball: Chicago White Sox at Minnesota Twins						WGN News at Nine		Fresh Pr.	Crimson
(39)	The Capital Gang		CNN Presents		Larry King Live		CNN Saturday Night		CNN Presents	

SUNDAY EVENING MAY 23, 2004

	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
(3)	King	King	Movie: "The Best Man"				News	Red Sox	Phantom	Sanders
(32)	Mr. Baseball: Cont'd		Movie: "Good Will Hunting"					Whose?	Switched	Switched
6	Dateline NBC				Law Order CI		Crossing Jordan		News	Maine
8	Funniest Home Videos		Makeover: Home		Alias		Super Millionaire		News	Hot Ticket
10	American Farm		Nature		Masterpiece Theatre				To Contrary	Religion
(22)	Baseball Tonight		MLB Baseball: St. Louis Cardinals at Chicago Cubs						SportsCenter	
(34)	WWE Sunday Night Heat		Ride	Ride	Spike 52 Favorite Cars		Spike 52 Favorite Cars		Great Drivers	
13	60 Minutes		Cold Case		Movie: "Reversible Errors"				News	Friends
(41)	Boxing		Beyond the Glory		America	I. Max	Best Damn Sports Show		Beyond the Glory	
(15)	"Mars Attacks!" Cont'd		Six Feet Under		The Sopranos		Deadwood		Movie: "28 Days Later"	
(17)	So Raven	Lizzie	Movie: "Toy Story 2"			Recess	Barbarian	So Raven	Kim	Proud
(18)	Movie: "Sniper 2" Cont'd		Movie: "Just Married"			MAX Set	Movie: "FeardotCom"			
(20)	PGA	McCarver	Outdoors	Outdoors	NE Journal	Camo Cnt	Divers	The Ride	Sports	ESPNews
(44)	"Too Rich: The Secret Life of Dons Duke" Cont'd				The Division		Strong Medicine		1-800-Missing	
(5)	"Terminal Velocity"		Movie: "Gone in Sixty Seconds"					Movie: "Snake Eyes"		
(24)	Romeo!	Drake	Garcia	Sabrina	Full House	Full House	Cosby	Cosby	Roseanne	Roseanne
(25)	"Sixteen Candles" Cont'd		Movie: "The Princess Bride"				Movie: "The Breakfast Club"			
(26)	Exiled: A Law		Law & Order		Law & Order		Law & Order		Law & Order	
(27)	Biography		Biography				Biography		Airline	Airline
(12)	Mutant X		Andromeda		The X-Files		WGN News	Replay	Matlock	
(39)	People in the News		CNN Presents		Larry King Live		CNN Sunday Night		CNN Presents	

MONDAY EVENING MAY 24, 2004

	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
(3)	King	'70s Show	Eve		Girlfriends		News		Frasier	Spin City
(32)	7th Heaven		Movie: "Beautiful Girl"				Whose?	Whose?	The 700 Club	
6	News	Seinfeld	Fear Factor		Fear Factor		Law & Order		News	
8	Fortune	Jeopardy!	Movie: "A Beautiful Mind"						News	
10	News-Lehrer		Colonial House				Colonial House			
(22)	NBA	NBA	NBA Basketball: Eastern Conference Final Game 2 -- Teams TBA					SportsCenter		
(34)	Star Trek: Deep Space 9		Star Trek: Deep Space 9		WWE Raw				Stripperella	Stripperella
13	Friends	Ent. Tonight	Yes, Dear	Still	Raymond	Two Men	CSI: Miami		News	
(41)	Sports	NASCAR	America	The Best Damn Sports Show Period			Sports	Sports	Best Damn Sports Show	
(15)	On the Record		Curb	Curb	Movie: "Analyze That"			Tomorrow	Lewis Black	
(17)	Sister, Sis.	Lizzie	Movie: "George of the Jungle 2"			Kim	Sister, Sis.	Boy World	Kim	Proud
(18)	"Panic Room" Cont'd		Movie: "Bend It Like Beckham"				Movie: "Spider-Man"			
(20)	Minor League Baseball: Binghamton at Portland				College Lacrosse: NCAA Quarterfinal -- Teams TBA				College Lacrosse	
(44)	The Nanny	The Nanny	Providence		Movie: "Chasing Secrets"				Golden	Golden
(5)	MLB Baseball: Atlanta Braves at Montreal Expos						Movie: "Lethal Weapon 2"			
(24)	Rugrats	SpongeBob	Oddparents	Sabrina	Full House	Full House	Cosby	Cosby	Roseanne	Roseanne
(25)	"The Princess Bride"		Movie: "Ghost"						"A Kiss Before Dying"	
(26)	Law & Order		Movie: "Jeepers Creepers"				Touching Evil		Law Order CI	
(27)	American Justice		Biography		Family	Family	Airline	Airline	Biography	
(12)	Will-Grace	Movie: "The Blues Brothers"					WGN News at Nine		Becker	Becker
(39)	Anderson Cooper 360		Paula Zahn Now		Larry King Live		NewsNight-Aaron Brown		Lou Dobbs Tonight	

TUESDAY EVENING MAY 25, 2004

	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
(3)	King	'70s Show	One	One	Rock Me	Rock Me	News		Frasier	Spin City
(32)	7th Heaven		Movie: "On the Line"				Whose?	Whose?	The 700 Club	
6	News	Seinfeld	Movie: "Traffic"						News	
8	Fortune	Jeopardy!	ABC Extreme Bloopers		Jim	Jim	Super Millionaire		News	
10	News-Lehrer		Colonial House				Colonial House			
(22)	SportsCtr.	SportsCtr	NHL Hockey: Stanley Cup Final Game 1 -- Teams TBA					SportsCenter		
(34)	Star Trek: Deep Space 9		Star Trek: Deep Space 9		Oblivious	Oblivious	Oblivious	Oblivious	MXC	MXC
13	Friends	Ent. Tonight	Navy NCIS		Movie: "Reversible Errors"				News	
(41)	Sports	NASCAR	FOX One	The Best Damn Sports Show Period			Sports	Sports	Best Damn Sports Show	
(15)	Movie: "The First Wives Club"			Harry Potter	Movie: "Deliver Us From Eva"				The Sopranos	
(17)	Sister, Sis.	Lizzie	Movie: "Heavyweights"				Sister, Sis.	Boy World	Kim	Proud
(18)	Along-Spider		Movie: "Charlie's Angels: Full Throttle"				Movie: "Daredevil"			
(20)	MLB Baseball: Oakland Athletics at Boston Red Sox						Innings	Extra Inn	Red Sox	ESPNews
(44)	The Nanny	The Nanny	Providence		Movie: "Mary & Tim"				Golden	Golden
(5)	MLB Baseball: Atlanta Braves at Montreal Expos						Movie: "Under Siege 2: Dark Territory"			
(24)	Rugrats	SpongeBob	Oddparents	Sabrina	Full House	Full House	Cosby	Cosby	Roseanne	Roseanne
(25)	Movie: "Ghost" Cont'd		Movie: "Willy Wonka and the Chocolate Factory"				Movie: "Dudley Do-Right"			
(26)	JAG		Law & Order		Movie: "Final Destination"				Law & Order	
(27)	American Justice		Cold Case Files		Cold Case Files				Third Watch	
(12)	Will-Grace	Home Imp.	MLB Baseball: Chicago Cubs at Houston Astros						WGN News	Becker
(39)	Anderson Cooper 360		Paula Zahn Now		Larry King Live		NewsNight-Aaron Brown		Lou Dobbs Tonight	

WEDNESDAY EVENING MAY 26, 2004

	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
(3)	King	'70s Show	Star Trek: Enterprise		Cheating Death/Life		News		Frasier	Spin City
(32)	7th Heaven		Movie: "Au Pair"				Whose?	Whose?	The 700 Club	
6	News	Seinfeld	Law & Order		Law & Order		Law & Order		News	
8	Fortune	Jeopardy!	My Wife and Kids		The Bachelor		Super Millionaire		News	
10	News-Lehrer		Japan: Memoirs of a Secret Empire						Charlie Rose	
(22)	Draft	NBA	NBA Basketball: Eastern Conference Final Game 3 -- Teams TBA					SportsCenter		
(34)	Star Trek: Deep Space 9		Star Trek: Deep Space 9		World Stunt Awards				Ride	Ride
13	Friends	Ent. Tonight	The 39th Annual Academy of Country Music Awards						News	
(41)	Sports	NASCAR	FOX One	The Best Damn Sports Show Period			Sports	Sports	Best Damn Sports Show	
(15)	"My Flesh and Blood"		Real Sports		The Sopranos		On the Record		Deadwood	
(17)	Sister, Sis.	Lizzie	"Eddie's Million Dollar Cook-Off"			Barbarian	Sister, Sis.	Boy World	Kim	Proud
(18)	Movie: "Ricochet" Cont'd		Movie: "48 HRS."				Movie: "Bend It Like Beckham"			
(20)	MLB Baseball: Oakland Athletics at Boston Red Sox						Innings	Extra Inn	SportsPlus	ESPNews
(44)	The Nanny	The Nanny	Providence		Movie: "Cab to Canada"				Golden	Golden
(5)	Seinfeld	Friends	Seinfeld	Seinfeld	Seinfeld	Seinfeld	Seinfeld	Seinfeld	"On Deadly Ground"	
(24)	Rugrats	SpongeBob	Oddparents	Sabrina	Full House	Full House	Cosby	Cosby	Roseanne	Roseanne
(25)	Willy Wonka & Chocolate		Movie: "Star Trek III: The Search for Spock"				Movie: "Star Trek III: The Search for Spock"			
(26)	JAG		Law & Order		Law & Order		Monk		Law & Order	
(27)	American Justice		Cold Case Files		American Justice		City Confidential		Third Watch	
(12)	Will-Grace	Home Imp.	Movie: "A Mother's Fight for Justice"				WGN News	News	Becker	Becker
(39)	Anderson Cooper 360		Paula Zahn Now		Larry King Live		NewsNight-Aaron Brown		Lou Dobbs Tonight	

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6 pm Bethel Citizen Reading
8 pm CPS 5th Grade Talent Show
10 pm Maine-ly Issues
Midnight Musicians of Maine

Thursday, May 20

2 am Maine Woods n' Waters
4 am CPS Heading West
6 am Bryant Pond Hour/Church
8 am 24 Hr. Adventure Race Part 1
10 am 24 Hr. Adventure Race Part 2
Noon Musicians of Maine
2 pm Tick Awareness
4 pm West Paris Selectmen Meeting
6 pm CPS Heading West
8 pm Bethel Citizen Reading
10 pm 24 Hr. Adventure Race Part 1
Midnight 24 Hr. Adventure Race Part 2

Monday, May 24

2 am Mahoosuc Kids Summer Fun
4 am West Paris Selectmen Meeting
6 am BHS Remembering WWII
8 am Bethel Citizen Reading
10 am CPS 5th Grade Talent Show
Noon Maine-ly Issues
2 pm Musicians of Maine
4 pm Mahoosuc Kids Summer Fun
6 pm Maine Woods n' Waters
8 pm BHS Remembering WWII
10 pm Bryant Pond Hour/Church
Midnight CPS 5th Grade Talent Show

Friday, May 21

2 am Musicians of Maine
4 am Tick Awareness
6 am Maine Woods n' Waters
8 am CPS Heading West
10 am Bethel Citizen Reading
Noon CPS 5th Grade Talent Show
2 pm Maine-ly Issues
4 pm Musicians of Maine
6 pm Mahoosuc Kids Summer Fun
8 pm West Paris Selectmen Meeting
10 pm BHS Remembering WWII
Midnight Bethel Citizen Reading

Tuesday, May 25

2 am Maine-ly Issues
4 am Musicians of Maine
6 am Mahoosuc Kids Summer Fun
8 am West Paris Selectmen Meeting
10 am BHS Remembering WWII
Noon Bryant Pond Hour/Church
2 pm CPS 5th Grade Talent Show
4 pm Maine-ly Issues
6 pm Musicians of Maine
8 pm Mahoosuc Kids Summer Fun
10 pm Maine Woods n' Waters
Midnight BHS Remembering WWII

Saturday, May 22

2 am CPS 5th Grade Talent Show
4 am Maine-ly Issues
6 am Musicians of Maine
8 am Mahoosuc Kids Summer Fun
10 am Maine Woods n' Waters
Noon BHS Remembering WWII
2 pm Bethel Citizen Reading
4 pm CPS 5th Grade Talent Show
6 pm Maine-ly Issues
8 pm Musicians of Maine
10 pm Mahoosuc Kids Summer Fun
Midnight West Paris Selectmen Meeting

Wednesday, May 26

2 am Bryant Pond Hour/Church
4 am CPS 5th Grade Talent Show
6 am Maine-ly Issues
8 am Musicians of Maine
10 am Mahoosuc Kids Summer Fun
Noon West Paris Selectmen Meeting
2 pm BHS Remembering WWII
4 pm Bryant Pond Hour/Church
6 pm CPS 5th Grade Talent Show
8 pm Maine-ly Issues
10 pm Musicians of Maine
Midnight Mahoosuc Kids Summer Fun

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Events Calendar

Seniors Lunch every Tuesday and Thursday, 11:30 a.m., at Bethel Methodist Church, Main Street, sponsored by SeniorsPlus. Donation for 60 and older and spouses, $2.50; all other guests, $4. Reservations important. For information, menus, reservations, call 824-3168 (also the number to call to apply for Meals on Wheels).

9 a.m. (Fridays) — Oxford Hills Duplicate Bridge at Fare Share Food Coop, 443 Main Street, Norway. All bridge players invited to attend and bring a friend or two. Refreshments. For more information, call Mimi Bell (743-8081) or Rowena Palmer (743-2882) or e-mail bridge@megalink.net.

Qi Gong classes offered at Stephens Memorial Hospital, Norway. Type of ancient Chinese exercises done with the breath to enhance internal energy and promote a sense of relaxation. Teacher: Betsey Foster.

Thru May 28 — Gould Academy Student Art Exhibit at Owen Art Gallery, Monday-Friday 8 a.m. to 3 p.m. and weekends by appointment. Admission is free. FMI: 824-7700.

Thru May 28 — "Singing in Color," exhibit by rosemaling (Norwegian art) artist Dorian McGowan at new Heritage Park gallery 961 Main Street, Berlin, N.H. Monday-Friday noon to 5 p.m. Free.

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Thru May 29

"A Sense of Direction," a two person show featuring paintings by Nikki Millonzi and paintings and sculptures by Don Best at Fare Share Commons, Main Street, Norway. Opens May 8 with public reception from 7 to 9 p.m. On May 29 at 7 p.m., Best and Millonzi will present Conversations with The Artists. Public invited.

Thursday, May 20

7 p.m. — **"The Rise and Fall of the Maine Ice Trade,"** a slide show by Nathan Lipfert, curator and library director of Maine Maritime Museum, Bath, will be presented at Norway Memorial Library. Admission free. FMI: 743-5309.

Friday, May 21

2 to 3:30 p.m. — **At Norway Memorial Library:** veterans and community members invited to share memories of times of war, view the library's glass case display of artifacts of WWII, Korean, Vietnam and Desert Storm wars, and help library begin project to create a community veterans notebook. FMI: 743-5309 or e-mail norlib@norway.lib.me.us.

9:30 p.m. — **American Cancer Society Relay for Life of Northern Oxford County Luminaria Ceremony** at Hosmer Field, Rumford. To purchase a luminaria (candle lantern): contact Jamie Dayon (369-9449) or Priscilla Bickford (369-1042). Suggested donation: $10. Rumford's cancer survivors will kick off the Relay For Life at 4:30 p.m. with registration followed by official survivors' lap. FMI: call Diane Mitchell (364-8358) or Peggy Briggette (364-4611.

10:30 a.m. — **Oxford County Education Association — Retired** meeting at Oxford American Legion Hall. Necrology ceremony. Speaker: Rodney Abbott on "Maine Poetry." Plant sale. FMI or lunch reservation, call 539-2552 by May 18.

May 21-22

Book Sale at Gilead Town Hall.

American Cancer Society Relay For Life Cancer Survivor Recognition and Luminaria Ceremony at Oxford Hills Comprehensive High School's Don Gouin Athletic Complex, South Paris. Cancer Survivor Recognition (6 p.m.). Luminaria ceremony (10 p.m.). FMI: call Erika Gould at American Cancer Society (373-3704).

Saturday, May 22

8:30 a.m. to 9:30 a.m. (registration) — **Maine Old Cemetery Association** meeting at Lovell United Church of Christ, 1174 Main Street, Lovell, hosted by Lovell Historical Society. Coffee and doughnuts will be served. Speaker: retired UMO Professor Sandy Ives. Business meeting will be followed by brief talk on Lovell cemeteries and town history by Roberta Chandler. Registration: $3. Lunch ($5) must be ordered and prepaid by sending to Cheryl Patten, 1161 East Pond Road, Smithfield, ME 04978. Bring own lunch if desired. Do not need to be member of MOCA to attend.

9 a.m. — **Walk to benefit Barbara Bush Children's Wing** at Maine Medical Center, Portland, sponsored by Waterford Grange 479. Walk begins at Kosi's convenience store on Route 118, North Waterford.

9 a.m. to 4 p.m. — **Pet Fest at Oxford Fairgrounds** to promote responsible pet ownership, rain or shine. Admission free. FMI: 539-4074 or www.petfest2004.com.

11 a.m. to 2 p.m. — **The Creature Catcher,** Dana Johnson, will be at Maine Wildlife Park, Gray, to demonstrate and give advise on how to use Havahart and other live traps, answer questions about common local furbearers, their habits and habitats. FMI: call Lisa Kane at 287-3303

8 to 11 p.m. — **Old Fashioned Dance** at Locke Mills Town Hall with music by Richard Felt Orchestra. Proceeds benefit Greenwood Historical Society.

Monday, May 24

6 p.m. — **Mother-Daughter Banquet** at West Bethel Union Church. For all mothers and ladies of West Bethel. Cost: $5 for adults and $3 for 12 and under. Fathers will serve the meal. FMI: call Jane Hosterman (836-2882).

7 p.m. — **East Bethel Church** meeting at the church.

7 p.m. — **Mahoosuc Community Band Spring Concert** at West Parish Congregational Church, Bethel. Free, though donations encouraged. Refreshments after.

Thursday, May 27

6 p.m. — **Make-A-Wish's Annual Walk for Wishes.** Located at the Oxford Plains Speedway. All proceeds will go to the Make-A-Wish Foundation® of Maine. Come join in the fun and share the power of a wish®. Please help us continue to fulfill the wishes of seriously ill Maine children by forming your team today. FMI: www.maine.wish.org.

Friday, May 28

7 p.m. — **Mock Hee Haw Show** at Franklin Grange 124, Bryant Pond. Proceeds to go to Grange.

Saturday, May 29

9 a.m. — **Yard Sale** by Upton Ladies Aid.

Faye Taylor Memorial Art Show/St. Never's Day Sale at Bethel Historical Society. FMI: call 824-2908.

Noon — **Special Observance for WWII veterans** at Greenwood Town Hall in Locke Mills, put on by the Jackson-Silver American Legion Auxiliary, with help of the Post. Building is handicapped accessible. All World War II veterans from West Paris north to Woodstock, Greenwood, Bethel, Newry, Gilead and Milton are invited. A noon lunch of soup, salads, sandwiches and dessert will be served free to WW II veterans and the person who accompanies them. Entertainment.

Andover Alumni Banquet at Andover Elementary School gym.

5 p.m. to 6 p.m. — **Public Supper** at West Paris Grange 298, Church Street. Tickets: $5 for adults and $2.50 for children under 12. Homemade pies for dessert.

May 29-30

9 a.m. to 3 p.m. — **Lilac Festival and Plant Sale at McLaughlin Gardens,** South Paris. FMI: 743-8820 or www.MclaughlinGarden.org.

May 29-31

At McLaughlin Foundation, South Paris: 2004 Lilac Festival will feature 5k walk/run, lilac workshops, garden tours, poetry and book signing. FMI: 743-8820 or www.mclaughlingarden.org.

Annual Plant Sale by Friends of the Maine Wildlife Park, Route 26, Gray. FMI: 657-4977 or www.mainewildlife park.com.

Monday, May 31

8 a.m. — **At McLaughlin Foundation,** South Paris: A Run for the Lilacs. Entry fee: $10 adults, $5 kids under 12. Forms available at McLaughlin Foundation office, South Paris. Lilac prizes for first three runners, and many more prizes given. FMI: call 743-8820 or go to www.mclaughlingarden.org

Tuesday, June 1

Noon — **West Paris Senior Citizens** meeting/luncheon will be held at the home of Patricia and Fred Breame.

Wednesday, June 2

11:30 a.m. — **Friendly Senior Citizens** meeting and potluck lunch at North Waterford Church vestry.

Saturday, June 5

Morning — **Andover Community Cleanup Day.**

9 a.m. to noon — **Kids Fishing Day** in White Mountain National Forest. Free fishing at Wildcat Pond with learning stations, contests, prizes and lots of fun. For kids 15 and younger, bring your own gear and an adult. Located at Wildcat Mountain Ski Area, Route 16 south of Gorham, N.H. FMI: call (603) 466-2713.

10 a.m. — **Yard Sale** by Oxford County Republicans at the Nelson house, near Stoneham Rescue building.

9 to 12 noon — **Volksmarch,** in Lancaster, N.H., sponsored by SeaCoast Striders. Begins at parking lot of County Court House in Lancaster. FMI: e-mail MainSawyer@aol.com.

Sunday, June 6

Norway-Paris Kiwanis Club's Annual Woody Allen Road Race sponsored by Norway Savings Bank. Family event for all ages. Check-in time: 8 a.m. with 9 a.m. start. Awards. Cost: One Mile Fun Run and Fitness Walk, $7, and $10 for 5K Road Race. Registration forms at Norway, South Paris and Oxford-Norway Savings Banks, Oxford Hills Chamber of Commerce (743-2281) or write Norway-Paris Kiwanis Club, PO Box 174, Norway, ME 04268. FMI: call Bob Bizier (743-9303) days, or 743-6005 evenings.

11 a.m. (kick off) — **Old Port Festival,** Portland, presented by U.S. Cellular.

2 p.m. — **Cody Michaels,** New Hampshire native, will present a **Piano Concert** at St. Kieran Community Center for the Arts, 155 Emery Street, Berlin, N.H. Tickets: $10 at door. FMI: call (603) 752-1028.

Tuesday, June 8

6:30 p.m. — **Telstar Alumni Association** meeting at the school conference room. All alumni invited to attend.

Wednesday, June 9

11 a.m. — **Bethel Senior Citizens Club** dinner/meeting at East Bethel Grange Hall. Cost of dinner: $6.

Thursday, June 10

7:30 p.m. — **Bethel Historical Society Lecture:** "Cross-River Ferries in 19th Century Maine," by David Chaplin. FMI: call 824-2908.

RELAY FOR LIFE
American Cancer Society

American Cancer Society Relay For Life Cancer Survivor Recognition and Luminaria Ceremony to take place Friday & Saturday, May 21 & 22

at Oxford Hills Comprehensive High School's Don Gouin Athletic Complex, South Paris. Cancer Survivor Recognition (6 p.m.). Luminaria ceremony (10 p.m.). FMI: call Erika Gould at American Cancer Society (373-3704).

Support Services

ABUSED WOMEN'S ADVOCACY PROJECT

AWAP serves all of Oxford County and provides emergency shelter, court advocacy and support groups with child care. Rumford office 369-0750; Norway office 743-5086; 24 hour hotline 1-800-559-2927

AA MEETINGS

Call 824-6647 for more information on the following meetings:

Bethel Freedom Group's Big Book Meeting Sundays at 6pm at the United Methodist Church, Main Street.

Bethel Freedom Group's Closed Women's Speaker/Discussion Meeting. Tuesdays at 6:30 at the United Methodist Church, Main Street.

Bethel Freedom Group's Step Meeting. Fridays at 6pm at West Parish Congregational Church, Church Street

Big Book, People Who Need People Group. Open/reading/discussion. Wednesdays from 6-7pm at the Bethel Alliance Church, Route 26. (entrance in rear.)

Al-Anon Meeting Mondays at 8pm at the Oxford Advent Christian Church (use the north side entrance of the church)

ALCOHOL/DRUG TREATMENT

Community Concepts' Alcohol & Drug Counseling Program is now accepting appointments in Bethel every Thursday and Friday. MaineCare welcome. DEEP certified. Call 364-3721 for appointment. Community Concepts is a non-profit organization with a mission to "help people build opportunities for a better tomorrow."

EXCHANGES

District Exchange Community Thrift Shop accepts donations of in-season clothing in clean, wearable condition only. Drop-off hours and shopping: Monday 1-4pm, Thursday 4-6pm and Saturday, 10am-12pm.

The Woodstock Seventh Day Adventist Church Community Service Center announces that individuals or families requiring assistance with food needs in the South Woodstock, Bryant Pond, West Paris and Sumner areas are invited to call 674-2566, 674-2663, or 665-2226 to learn more details.

MS SUPPORT GROUP

Meets the first Friday of the month from 1-2:30pm at the West Parish Congregational Church, next to Gould Academy. For more information, call Gale Tout at 836-2900.

GRIEF SUPPORT GROUP

Meets Tuesday in the conference room at the Mexico Congregational UCC ("The Green Church"), 153 Main Street, Mexico. Everything spoken and heard here is confidential. Anyone trying to cope with the loss of a loved one is welcome. FMI call Sue Byam at 364-8185

MENTAL ILLNESS SUPPORT GROUP

Beacon House Social Club, 150 Congress Street, Rumford, a drop-in social club for adults suffering with mental, emotional, or physical illness, provides support, relaxation, and socialization. Monday 1 to 5pm; Tuesday 9am-2pm; Wednesday 9am-8pm; Wednesday 3-8pm; Friday 2-7pm; Saturday 11am-4pm. Oxford County Mental Health Services, support for adults and children with mental illness, same location, second floor, open Monday-Friday 8am-4pm. For more information, call 364-3549 or (800) 335-9999, or in off-hours 928-3222.

REACH

Rape Education and Crisis Hotline 1-800-871-7741. Sexual assault/sexual abuse hotline, same number. Support groups and awareness education, past or present victims of abuse.

VETERANS' SERVICES (STATE/VA BENEFITS)

Maine Veterans Home, S. Paris, first and third Wednesday each month, 9-12 noon (743-6300); Rumford Employ. Sec. Bldg. (364-3718), second and fourth Wednesday 9-12 noon; Lewiston (795-4590), 200 Main St., 7:30am to 4pm, Monday thru Friday, Location: Monday-Sunday School 2:45-4:15pm. Tel. 392-4841. (new members welcome).

Library Hours

Andover Library: Tuesday, Wednesday, Wednesday and Saturday, 1-4:30pm; Wednesday 6-8pm. Tel: 392-4841

Bethel Library: Monday 9am-1pm; Tuesday. 1-5pm; Wednesday 1-8pm; Thursday & Friday 1-5pm; Saturday, 9-1pm. Story Hour Mondays, 10-11am October to May. Michelle Conroy, Librarian. 824-2520.

Crescent Park Elementary School: Open every Wednesday evening from 6-8pm to the public.

Hamlin Memorial Library, Paris Hill: Tuesday-Friday 11:30-5:30; Saturday 10-2; Wednesday evening, 7-9pm. Tel. 743-2980

Whitman Memorial Library, Bryant Pond: Tel. 665-2505. Tuesday 1:30-5pm; Thursday 1:30-7pm.

West Paris Library, West Paris: Monday 1:30-5pm; Wednesday 1:30-7pm; Friday 1:30-5pm. 674-2004

Gardner Roberts Memorial Library, Hanover: Wednesday, 10-12 through July and August.

Upton Library: Saturdays 9-11am

Church Services

ALBANY

Congregational Church - Hunts Corner, 9:30 a.m. Sunday worship and Sunday School; Pastor Eddie Gammon. Bible Study 6:30 Wednesdays at the church.

ANDOVER

First Congregational Church Pastor Jane Rich. Sunday morning worship 10 a.m. followed by coffee fellowship. Tuesday - Sunday School 3-4:15 for children through grade 5. Produce donated to hungry families. All are welcome. Wednesday, choir practice at 6:30. All are welcome.

Calvary Bible Church - Pastor John O'Keefe. Winter hours: Sunday School 9:30-10:30 a.m.; morning worship 10:45 to noon. Wednesday bible study and prayer meeting 6:30 p.m., Route 5, S. Andover. 392-1121.

BETHEL

Bethel Alliance Church- 10 a.m. worship. Sunday School at 9 a.m.. Evening fellowship and youth ministries at 6 p.m. on Sundays. Prayer fellowship 7 p.m. on Wednesdays.

Church of the Nazarene - Pastor Chuck Mason, 9:30 am. Sunday School (2 hours, including recreation activities; call 824-4028 for transportation). 10:30 a.m. morning worship. 6 p.m. evening service. 824-4028 (voice mail) or 824-7289 FMI.

West Parish Congregational - Rev. Virginia Rickeman. 10:30 a.m. worship. Nursery care provided. Prayer, Tuesday, 8 a.m.. FMI call 824-8860.

Our Lady of the Snows- Mass - Saturday, 5 p.m. through the end of March. Pastor: Rev. Gerald A. Levesque. 743-2606

United Methodist - Geoffrey Gross, Pastor. 10:30 a.m. Sunday worship. Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.. There is also an adult study group during Sunday School.

West Bethel Union - a.m. worship and 9 a.m. Sunday School. For information, call 836-2844 or 836-2882. Rev. Earl H. Bell.

Pleasant Valley Bible - Pastor Don Steffen. 9 a.m Sunday school. 10 a.m. worship. Awana Clubs. FMI 836-3006 or 824-2037.

Episcopal House Church - Holy communion service the third or fourth Sunday of every month at 4 p.m. at 38 Chapman Street. For further information, call the Reverend Gwyneth Bohr at 824-2913.

Church of Christ - at home of Keith Hamel, minister, 507 Walker's Mills Road (Route 26), Bethel. Worship at 10 a.m. Sunday. Bible study at 11 a.m.. 824-3577 FMI.

EAST STONEHAM

Oxford County United Parish - North Waterford Congregational Church & Stoneham Congregational Church - Sunday worship services 10 a.m. at Stoneham (through June). Sunday School, 10 a.m. Rev. George Frobig, 693-6461.

GORHAM, NH

Assembly of God - Pastor Paul Levigen. Sunday School 9:30 a.m., Sunday service 10:30 a.m., Sunday evening service 7 p.m., Wednesday Bible Study 7 p.m.. FMI 603-466-2851.

HARRISON

Bolster's Mills United Methodist Church - Bolster's Mills Road, Harrison, Maine. Rev. Walter R. Brown, Pastor. Sunday worship at 8:45 a.m.. Church school 10:15 a.m. for kids kindergarten - grade 12. Call 583-9024 or 998-7040 for more info.

LOCKE MILLS

Locke Mills Union - Rev. Michael Johnson. Beginning Sunday, February 1, Sunday morning service will begin at 9a.m.

MEXICO

Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints- 265 Main Street. Worship service Sundays at 10am. Pres. Peter Beeckel. 364-5881.

NEWRY

Newry Community Church - Sunday worship service 9 a.m. Rodney H. Hanscom, pastor. (Services in the church will resume in April).

NORWAY/PARIS

Christian Science Society - Sunday service 10 a.m., Wed. Testimony service 7:30 p.m... Call 824-4099 for info or ride.

Trinity Evangelical Lutheran Church - Route 117N, S. Paris. Pastor Tom Teichmann. Sunday morning service 9 a.m. with coffee fellowship immediately after.

North Paris Federation- Morse Hill Road, North Paris. Sunday Service 8 a.m.. Pastor Bruce Tyner. 674-2968. Singsperation third Sunday each month alternating with West Paris Baptist Church at 7 p.m..

Oxford Hills Friends (Quakers) - Sunday worship 9:30 a.m. at HOPE Ripley Center, High Street, S. Paris across the park from the Post Office. Call Ursula Brandon at 665-2880 or Sue Reilly at 966-2012 for more information.

Christ Episcopal Church - 35 Paris St., Sunday services at 8 a.m. and 10 a.m.; Sunday School at 9:45 a.m.; Healing service with communion 9:30 a.m. on Wednesday. Rev. Anne Stanley. Call 743-6782 for more information.

First Baptist Church of Paris - On the Common at the top of Paris Hill. 10:30 a.m. worship service. Sunday School at 9:30 a.m. Coffee hour will follow the service. Fellowship lunch will be held the first Sunday of each month following worship. Pastor Ron Blake.

Unitarian Universalist Church of Norway - 11am worship. Rev. Joy Gasta. Child care is provided. Religious education classes 11am-12:15pm. FMI 743-2828

RUMFORD

St. Barnabus Episcopal Church - Mass, 9:30 a.m. Rev. Canon Henry Male, Jr. Special holidays will be announced. Stone church at the rotary.

RUMFORD CENTER

Praise Assembly of God - Pastor Justin Thacker. Sunday School 9:00 a.m., Sunday worship service at 10:00 a.m. Sunday prayer meeting at 6:00 p.m. Wednesday night bible study at 7:00 p.m. East Andover Rd. For more information, call 364-3856.

RUMFORD POINT

Rumford Point Church - Sunday service, Sunday School, 10:30 a.m. Pastor Michael F. Johnson.

SUMNER

East Sumner Congregational- Linda Kimball, pastor. Sunday service, 9 a.m.

WEST PARIS

Unitarian Universalist Church of West Paris - Rev. Joy Gasta, 9 a.m. worship (Sept. - mid - June). 674-2365.

West Paris Baptist - Sunday Worship 9:15 am., Bruce Tyner, Pastor. Sunday School Preschool thru kindergarten 9:45am, Sunday School Grades 1-6, 10:25am. Sunday evening worship 7:00 p.m.; Monday Diaconnette meeting first Monday of the month; Tuesday ladies fellowship meets the fourth Tuesday of every month. Tea & Toys Time Bi-Weekly 9:30-11:30am, Adult Choir Wednesday evenings, Wednesday Bible Study and Prayer 7pm, church business meetings the third Wednesday of the month.

West Paris Congregational Church - Linda Kimball, pastor. Sunday Worship 11 a.m.; Sunday School 10 a.m.

WOODSTOCK

Bryant Pond Baptist - Rev. Ron Pinham (interim), Sundays: Sunday School 9:15 a.m.; Adult Bible Fellowship 9:15 a.m.; Morning Worship 10:30 a.m.; Evening Service 6:00 p.m.; Wednesdays: Kid's hour 6:30 p.m.; Prayer meeting & bible study 6:30 p.m.

Woodstock Seventh day Adventist - Pastor Richard Wright (207-797-9678), Saturday: 9:20 a.m. Sabbath school. 11 a.m. worship service.

Pinhook Meeting House (Rt. 232, North Woodstock) - Hymn Sing, last Friday of each month, 7 p.m. All welcome.

Mahoosuc Mountain Friends - a worship group meeting in the unprogrammed tradition of Friends (Quakers) - Sundays, 9:30 a.m. at the Whitman Memorial Library, Bryant Pond. Newcomers welcome. First Day School activities provided for children. Call Arla Patch 665-2224 FMI.

Items for the Community Calendar may be brought to The Bethel Citizen Office, mailed in or phoned in at 824-2444. The Deadline is Monday at Noon

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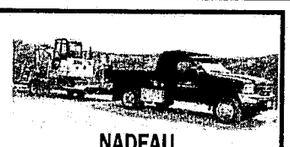

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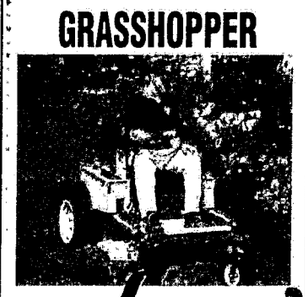

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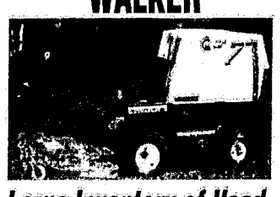

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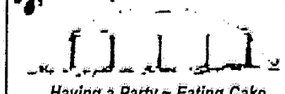

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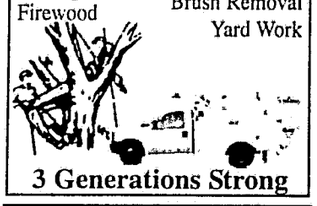

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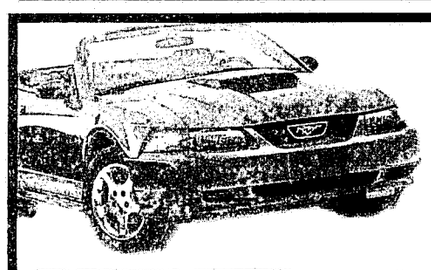

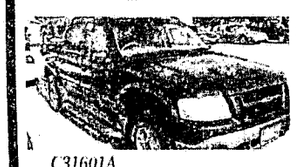
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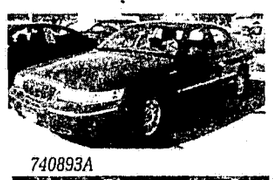
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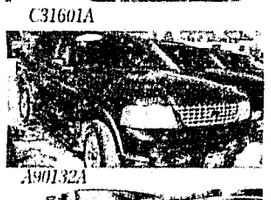
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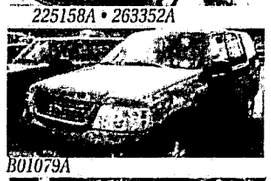
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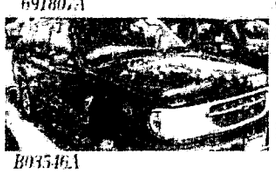
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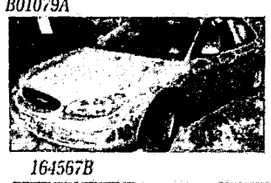
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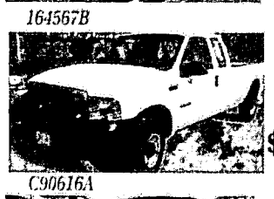
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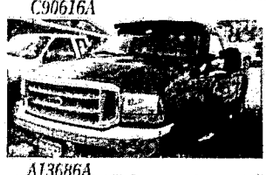
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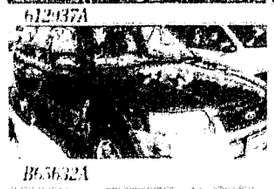
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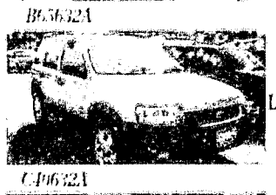
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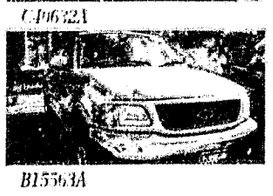
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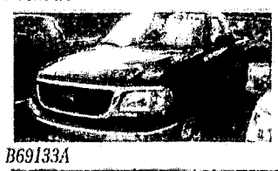
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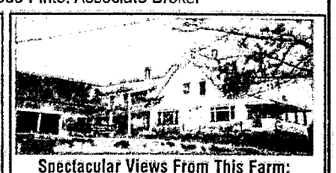

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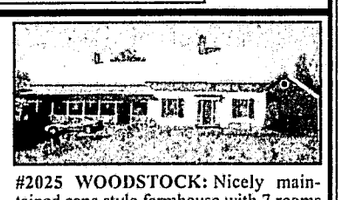

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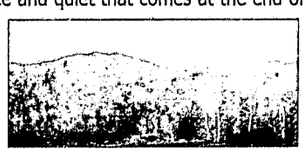

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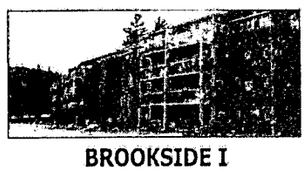
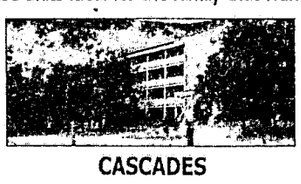


BROOKSIDE I
A-204 2 Bdrm/1 Bath **$142,900**



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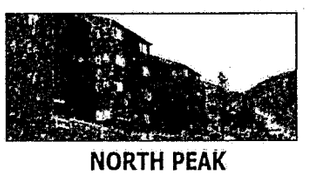
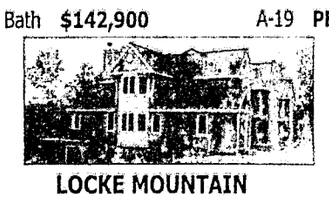
A-19 **PENDING**



NORTH PEAK
II-107 2 Bdrm/1 Bath **$147,900**



LOCKE MOUNTAIN
C-4 5 Bdrm/4 Bath **$650,000**
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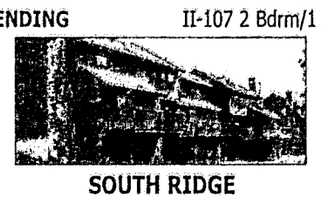
O-2 4 Bdrm/3½ Bath **$599,900**



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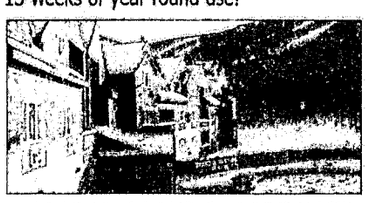

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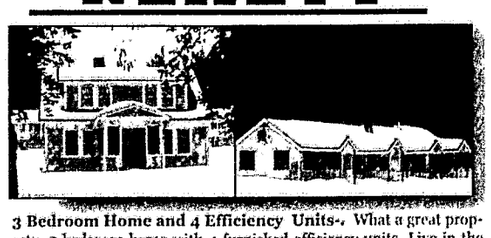
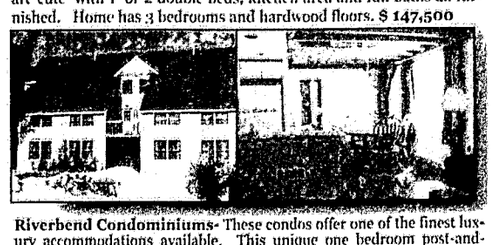


3 Bedroom Home and 4 Efficiency Units- What a great property. 3 bedroom home with 4 furnished efficiency units. Live in the main house and rent the units out. Located close to area recreations like, skiing, fishing, hiking, canoeing and more. The 4 efficiency units are cute with 1 or 2 double beds, kitchen area and full baths all furnished. Home has 3 bedrooms and hardwood floors. **$ 147,500**

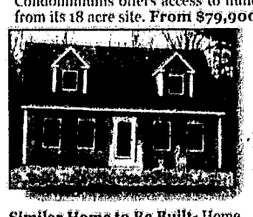
HOUSE

VIEW OF SCREENED-IN BEACH FRONT GAZEBO WITH SHOWER ROOM

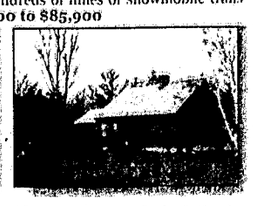
Relax in a peaceful, outdoor setting as you gaze out over Songo Pond with 300 ft of private water frontage. Swim and play on the hundred feet of sandy beach, launch your canoe and explore the lake or take in the beauty from your screened-in, beach-front gazebo. Soak in the seven person hot tub from your master bedroom deck, watch the fire dance in the fieldstone fireplace. From the great room, savor the 22 ft cathedral ceiling, sliding glass doors to the wrap around deck with views to the lake and distant mountains. Located 9 miles from Sunday River Ski Resort, 3 miles from the beautiful village of Bethel; this modern log home was finished in 2001. Three bedrooms and two baths are spread out on three floors. Enjoy an office/ library, and family room with cozy Jotul wood stove. **Must See $459,900**



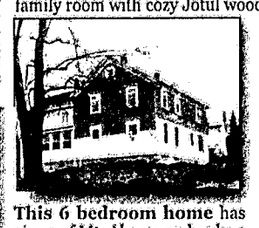
Riverbend Condominiums- These condos offer one of the finest luxury accommodations available. This unique one bedroom post-and-beam units are spacious, quiet, and comfortable and comes fully furnished with Broyhill's "Fontana" collection. Riverbend is located about three minutes away from Sunday River Ski Resort. Riverbend Condominiums offers access to hundreds of miles of snowmobile trails from its 18 acre site. **From $79,900 to $85,900**



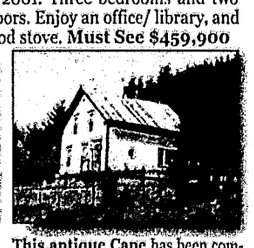
Similar Home to Be Built- Home will be located On Rt. 5 on 1.14 Acres. Great location only 1.8 miles to Bethel Village with 2 bedroom up and 1 bedroom on first floor with 2 full baths. **New Listing $249,900**



This 4 bedroom 1 &1/2 Bath sits on 3.7 open acres. Hardwood floors with 2 fire places and generator Backup included. Lots of updates and just waiting for you to move in. **$174,000**



This 6 bedroom home has views of Mt. Abram and only 5 miles from Bethel. Bedrooms are light and airy with new floors in kitchen, bathroom and Livingroom. Nice four season porch and shed adds to the space of this home. **$119,000**



This antique Cape has been completely renovated inside and out, wiring, pluming, septic, well, insulation, and sheetrock. Great location, 1 ¼ mile from Mt. Abram access road, 7 miles from Sunday River accesses road, and 4 miles from Bethel Village. Great yard with 4+/- acres with views of the mountains. **$129,900**

HOUSE LOTS & LAND

16 Acres with seasonal views of South Pond- This wooded lot is walking distance from Town Beach. Land is sloped with flat plateau area for home sight. **New Price $29,900**

Salinitas Estates- 1 lot left- Lovely wooded lots with plenty of amenities. Covenant protected. Rural yet close to town, within walking distance to the Golf Course at the Norway Country Club, boating, swimming and fishing at the Lake Pennesseewassee Recreational Park and Martin's Country Store. Year round road for 4 season use. **$24,900**

Androscoggin Waterfront on Intervale Road, Bethel. This 4+/- Acres with 396' of frontage on Androscoggin is the perfect place to put your home or vacation home. Be able to enjoy the views, fishing, canoeing from your own backyard. **$92,500**

This lot is perfect for your new home or vacation home. Just over a half acre +/- this lot is just waiting for you. Close to Bethel Village on Vernon makes this the ideal spot. **New Listing $16,000**

5+/- Acre Lot- Sloping, wooded, quiet neighborhood on year round town maintained road. Land is close to lakes, streams, fishing, hiking, golf and skiing. Perfect spot for primary home or vacation get-a-way. **New Listing $26,000**

2 +/- Acre Lot- Spectacular sloping wooded lot at the Southern tip of Twitchell Pond. This lot offers waterfront on Twitchell Brook and a short walk to public boat access. Close proximity to skiing, fishing, golfing, hiking, swimming and boating. **New Listing $30,000**

390 +/- Acres Andover- Large lot with nice Brook and views. Great for a private getaway. Close to snowmobile trail and plenty of wildlife. Own your on chunk of Maine. **New Listing $292,000**

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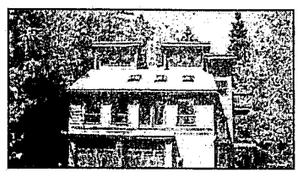
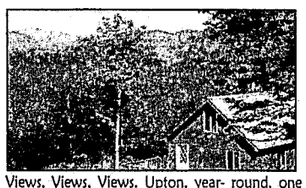
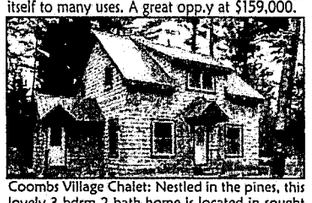

Newry: Just off Monkey Brook Road, 4 bedroom, 3 bath home located minutes from Sunday River Ski Area and minutes from the new golf course. $300,000

Newry, Sunday River Village. Four bedroom, three bath home with tile floors, kit.with all stainless Jenn-air app. and Corian counters. Basement is full lockout apartment with 3 br, 3/4 bath, kit, laundry and living rm. $290,000


Views, Views, Views. Upton, year- round, one bedroom home w/loft, kitchen , 3/4 bath, living room dining area, and deck with spectacular views in almost every direction you look. This house is situated on 18 +- acres of land that lends itself to many uses. A great opp.y at $159,000.

Newry, Sunday River Road, wonderful four bedroom, 2 1/2 bath, home with great view of Sunday River Ski area. Perfect for first of second home use. $329,000


Coombs Village Chalet: Nestled in the pines, this lovely 3 bdrm 2 bath home is located in sought after Coombs Village. Bright & Sunny with open floorplan. Gas fireplace. Detailed woodwork throughout. Full basement. Priced at $225,000

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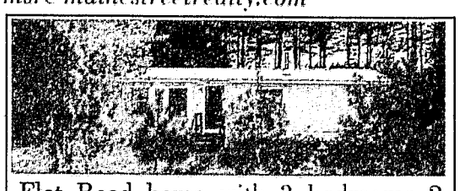
Farmhouse on Songo Pond Rd. 3 bedroom. 1 and ¾ baths, lg. kitchen, large barn with storage area, space for gardens, many updates completed, and public water and sewer. Home is within walking distance to town center also has golf course views. $177,000


Flat Road home with 3 bedrooms 2 baths, private back yard with garden area possible, front yard offers mountain view, 3.5 miles from Bethel Village and 18 miles to NH. $79,500

A Must See in Andover - Wonderful older home with NEW look, kitchen with plenty of space for everyone to congregate. Living area warmed by wood heat makes this home cozy and inviting. Renovated with great taste and quality. 4 spacious bedrooms. Nice porch just right for a rocking chair or two. Surprisingly priced at $149,900

TO BE MOVED - 4 bedroom, 1 bath mobile home in great condition. Pine interior, well maintained. A great deal at $25,000

Rumford Ave, Bryant Pond: 2 bedroom mobile home with large outbuilding, replacement windows and door, medal roof and covered porch. $58,000

In-Town Grandeur - This building offers many possibilities. Gorgeous stained glass windows and period woodwork on doors and windows. Newer roof and recently painted exterior. For more information and ideas, please give us a call. $195,000

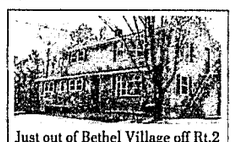
Summer Paradise on Private Point - At the end of this dead end road sets a camp that is waiting for you and your family to start building happy memories. There are 3 bedrooms, kitchen, living room, 1/2 bath and a screened porch. The lot is so spectacular that only viewing it will do it justice. $195,000

Affordable Summer Retreat - Remote one room Maine Camp, just off snowmachine trail # 12 which connects to most major trails in the state. For your summer enjoyment, Shagg Pond in Woodstock, is a short distance. There is a new septic system on site. Camp is finished and carpeted. $47,500

Space Abounds - This Locke Mills farmhouse is framed by Round Pond and Mount Abram. New carpet, plus furnace & baseboard and septic system improvements [illegible] completed. Various outbuildings with nine [illegible] stalls and 7 to begin update. An additional one bedroom apartment adds to the investment potential. $159,900

Convenient to Rumford, Paris and Bethel, this 4 bedroom, 2 bath home has room for your family. Level, pine shaded with stone hearth, deck, views and wonderful sun exposure are some of the details of this well-built property. Room for a garage under. $144,900

Affordable Village Home - Walk to everything Bethel has to offer from this cozy 3 bedroom bungalow on .11 acres. Large kitchen, living room and small porch add to the charm of this home. An attic and spacious closets make for plenty of storage. Shingle siding and a metal roof makes for low maintenance living. $80,000


Just out of Bethel Village off Rt.2 is a perfect setting for this 2/3 bedroom home 1+1/2 bath, amenities include sunroom, large yard, add to this a 1 bedroom 1 bath apartment or extra rooms for a large family. $189,000

Affordable living in this 2 bedroom mobile home on High Street in West Paris. The lot is 1 acre. $27,900

COMING SOON - Lovely Androscoggin River and Western Mountain Views on White Brook off of the North Road in Gilead. Brook front and view lots available. 5+- to 14+- acre parcels starting at $59,000

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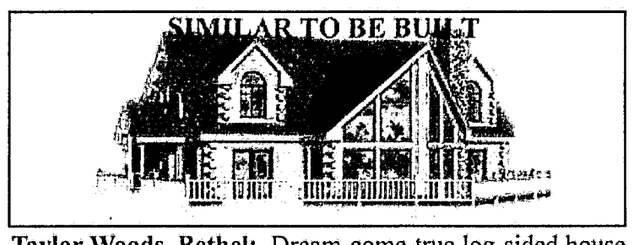
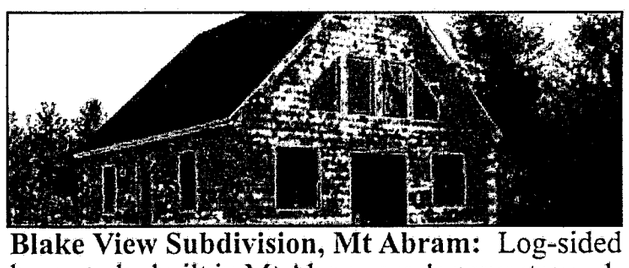
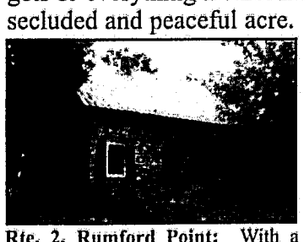
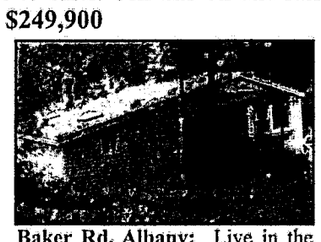
Upper Westside, Greenwood: Ready by summer, this new log cape won't last long. Views of Mt. Abram, 3BRs, 2 Baths, fireplace, sunny natural pine interior and fully applianced with 800 sq.ft. of expansion possibilities. Walk to Mt. Abram slopes and be close by to beaches, boating, golf & everything Bethel has to offer. All this on one full secluded and peaceful acre. **$249,900**



Taylor Woods, Bethel: Dream-come-true log-sided house on 1.9 acres with DEEDED ANDROSCOGGIN RIVER ACCESS. Architectural windows, majestic stone fireplace, wrap-around deck, blonde knotty pine interior, 5BRs, 3 ½ baths and the chance to still pick out colors! Beautifully designed with a large family in mind, or live upstairs and rent out the in-law apartment down stairs, your choice. This house is going to be spectacular!! **$349,000**


Blake View Subdivision, Mt Abram: Log-sided home to be built in Mt Abram area's newest wooded subdivision. Plans are for 3BR's, 2 Baths, a sunny interior and a wrap-around deck overlooking the gorgeous mountain view. Customize it now and make it your own! **$209,900**


Rte. 2, Rumford Point: With a large eat-in kitchen, living room, ¾ bath & laundry on the first floor, and 2 BR's & full bath on the 2nd floor, this house is a bargain for its price! Add a yard full of lilacs and a newer 8x12 shed, and you can't go wrong for only **$59,900**


Baker Rd, Albany: Live in the Songo Pond community & enjoy being only yards from the lake, with taxes under $300.!! 3BR's, 1 ½ baths, skylights, deck & only minutes from Bethel and Sunday River. This ranch is a very attractive offering at only **$89,900**

Lake Christopher, Bryant Pond: If you want a WATERFRONT home with lots of bedrooms, a long pristine shoreline and lots of character & elegance, then this is it. Sit by the grand fireplace or on the turret front porch or on the screened porch overlooking the lake! You'll love the gleaming wood floors, handcrafted built-ins and generous garage & storage space. Make an appointment today to see it all. **$469,000**

Sanborn River, Greenwood: Over two acres on a beautiful, private riverbank setting; a quiet pond within hiking distance; large garage, 15-yr. young saltbox, tastefully decorated rooms, 4BR's & 2 tiled baths, screened porch with view and sound of the babbling river-all that and much more! This property shows very well, so give us a call. **$169,900**

Rte. 2 Falls Hill, Rumford: If you have always wanted to be your own boss than this may be for you, ice cream sandwich shop, has inside seating for ten people, sits on a major route and has been a profitable business for years! Sell ice cream in the summer and head someplace warm in the winter!! Price includes all the inventory and equipment. **$125,000**

LAND

OAK HILL #12, WOODSTOCK: One lot left on top of Oak Hill! Views of the mountains and the lake are breathtaking at the peak of this subdivision. Become part of this exclusive neighborhood on Lot #12. With 1.32 acres, it's waiting for your house or chalet design. Owner financing for the right person. **$29,900**

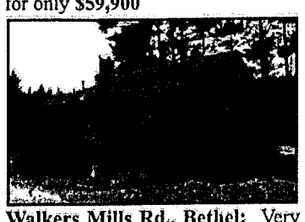
HOWE HILL RD, GREENWOOD: Building lot with over 200' of road frontage on the road to Mt. Abram Ski Area! Not too far from Greenwood's many lakes & ponds, and also only minutes from Sunday River's slopes, this is the perfect spot to build your primary or secondary home. **$29,000**

MT. ABRAM RD, GREENWOOD: One-and-a-half acre building lot on the road leading to Mt. Abram Ski Area. Location is convenient to the area's surrounding recreation which includes lakes, ponds, rivers and Sunday River. Come and walk the lines of this lot and imagine the possibilities. **$39,900**

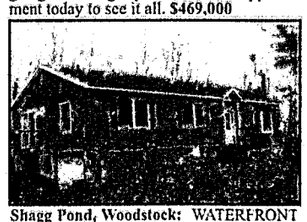
CROSS RD, MT ABRAM: Views, views, views! This 6 acre lot is just waiting for the home of your dreams. Close to Mt Abram Skiway, endless ATV & snowmobile trails and the areas many lakes and ponds. This private parcel has absolutely gorgeous views of the western mountains. Check out the photos on our website and then call us to see it in person. **$60,000**

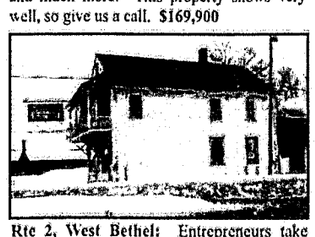
TAYLOR WOODS, BETHEL: Perfect lots to build a new home! Minutes to Sunday River & Mt Abram Ski Areas, deeded access to Androscoggin River for a great day of kayaking, these 1.7 acre lots in Taylor Woods Subdivision have so much to offer. Call today for a showing so you can start building this summer! **$49,900 per lot**

HUNTS CORNER RD, ALBANY: Great investment property! Own your own mountain plus 2000' of road frontage on Hunts Corner Rd. 240 acres of wooded land with beautiful views and subdivision potential. Coupled with an extremely low tax base, this is a one-of-a-kind offering. **$329,000**


Walkers Mills Rd., Bethel: Very conveniently located on half an acre en route to ski areas and river & lake recreation, this 2BR house has a new furnace, new shingles and new paint. You can't go wrong with added value and a reduced price of **$52,500**

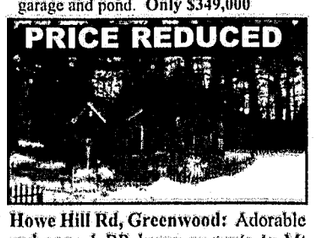
Sandy River, Starks: Picture your own private beach, 1600 ft. on the Sandy River and a beautifully remodeled 5BR, 3 Bath farmhouse. New dormers, new clapboards & paint, new roof shingles, all new wiring, new plumbing, new furnace, new 72 ft. farmer's porch and much, much more! All this on 49 acres with large well-maintained barn, silo detached garage and pond. **Only $349,000**


Shagg Pond, Woodstock: WATERFRONT with a spectacular WATERFALL view from its extra-large rear deck! This newer 3BR ranch boasts 14 acres with 100 feet of pristine shoreline and a dock on quiet Shagg Pond. Open a window and listen to the gentle waterfall nearby or take a walk to Washburn Pond nearby. Nice floorplan and tilework add value to make this a rare offering at an attractive price. **$249,000**


Rte 2, West Bethel: Entrepreneurs take notice!! Endless opportunities! Convenience store with a 3BR apartment above, located on highly traveled Rte 2. Store includes coolers, freezers, appliances, security system, cash register, credit card machine and much more. Building sits on full foundation with private septic and town water. Call us for a viewing. **$189,000**

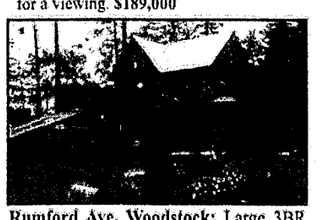
Church Hill, W. Paris: Located in a rural neighborhood, this 3BR cedar shingle home sits on 3.5 acres and has an attached 2 car garage. New furnace, updated roof, a deck off the master bedroom and excellent mountain views! **Priced for a quick sale at $99,900**

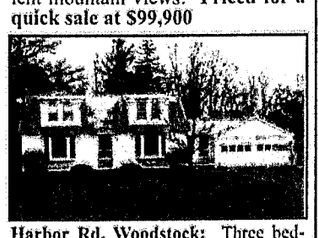
Howe Hill, Greenwood: Large 3BR split entry w/attached 2 car garage on the Mt. Abram Ski Area road. Oversized master BR with cozy corner hearth and sliding glass doors to a wrap around deck, cathedral ceiling in the great room, finished basement, above ground pool w/decking, and much more. All this on a beautiful & private 9+ acre setting! Don't wait, call today. **$199,900**



Howe Hill Rd, Greenwood: Adorable and cozy 1 BR home en route to Mt Abram Ski Area. Nestled in a nice neighborhood with beautiful flower gardens and a yard enclosed by a picket fence, this cedar-sided home will make the next owner very happy. **Reduced to $69,000**

Poplar Rd, Greenwood: True Maine log home, newly built in 2003, with beautiful views of surrounding mountains. Three bedrooms, daylight basement, large log-rail deck, beautiful wood floors, exposed beams, built-in dressers, and much more. Located at the edge of Mt Abram ski village, this is the perfect home, whether year-round or seasonal. **$194,900**


Rumford Ave, Woodstock: Large 3BR colonial in a quiet neighborhood with spacious living areas! This home has much to offer with its front & back enclosed sunporches, workshop, detached 1 car garage and large yard. Close to town, en route to local ski areas yet far enough from the hustle and bustle to enjoy country living! **$119,900**


Harbor Rd, Woodstock: Three bedroom cape w/attached 2 car garage sits off of a quiet road. Relax in front of the beautiful stone fireplace or go outside for a bike ride with the kids. Property also has a fenced-in area w/ barn for horses. Ideal spot to raise a family; house sits on 2 acres and is just minutes to West Paris or Bethel. **$155,000**

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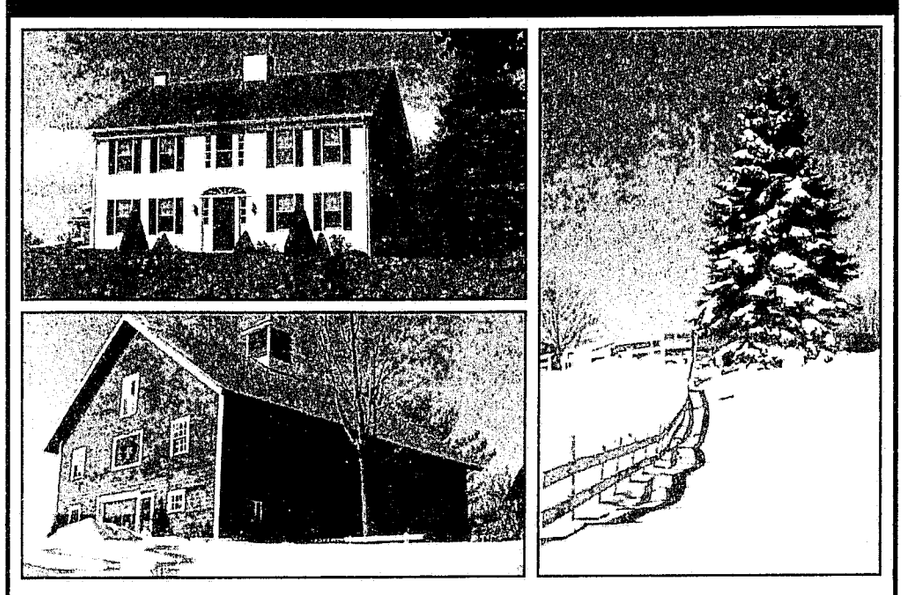
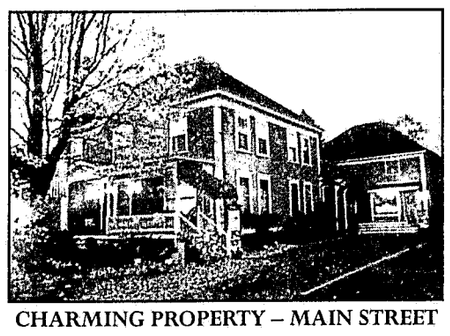
SUNSET FARM — A Bethel Landmark

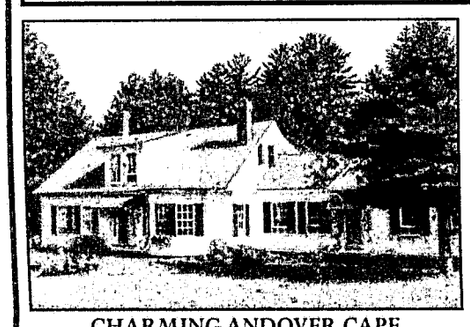


Prominent Bethel landmark, built in 1826, has been lovingly restored and enhanced with two modern additions. Situated on 18± scenic acres with a farm pond, Androscoggin River frontage and unsurpassed views. A well designed floor plan featuring 6 fireplaces, 6+ bedrooms, offices, formal dining and living rooms, den, family room. Two car garage, 10 stall barn.



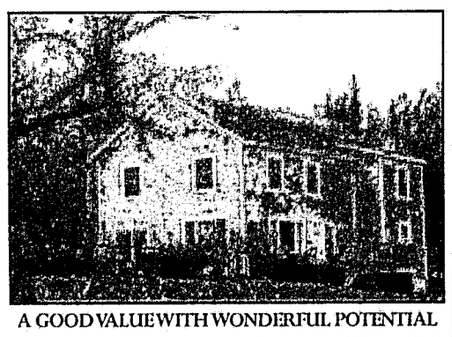
CHARMING PROPERTY – MAIN STREET
Charming home in the center of Bethel currently operating as a B&B. Many possibilities with 7 bedroom/private bath main house, 3 bedroom apartment, plus an efficiency apartment and retail space. $479,000

BRIAR LEA — INN & RESTAURANT
Located on highly visible Route 2 between Bethel village and Sunday River Ski Resort, this successful business has been under continuous ownership for 10 years. This attractive colonial features 6 bedrooms, all with private baths and a resturant with an outstanding reputation with seating for 45. Plenty of parking & private owners quarters. Offered fully furnished as a turnkey business. $440,000



CHARMING ANDOVER CAPE
Charming much admired seasonal home located in the picturesque area of Andover near the historic covered bridge.. 51+/- acres of land - partially fields and small tree farm. Beautiful mountain views, river frontage on the Ellis River. Partially furnished. $249,000

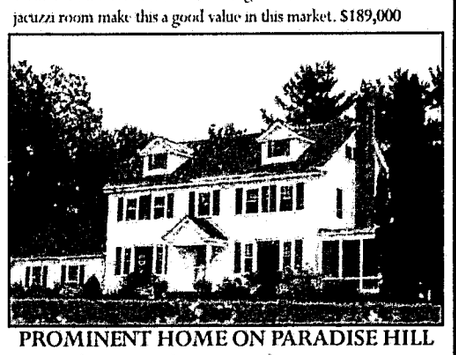
NEW HOME AT SUNDAY RIVER
Brand new construction! Located at the base of Sunday River Ski Resort, this spacious 4 BR / 2.5 BA house has almost 2600± sq.ft. of living space. This maintenance free home has great investment potential and/or use it for personal use! Spectacular views of White Heat from your windows and the 16' x 22' deck. The great room has a cathedral ceiling and Indistone fireplace. This property has a fantastic rental income track record. $329,000



A GOOD VALUE WITH WONDERFUL POTENTIAL
Great potential in this 4 bedroom, 2 bath colonial on 2.8 acres. With a bit of paint, this would make a wonderful family spot for full-time or vacation use. Located on a road of rolling fields and spectacular views this property has an inground pool and a great yard. Cherry cabinets in the eat-in kitchen, a living room with woodstove, and a jacuzzi room make this a good value in this market. $189,000

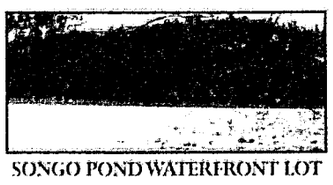
WELL MAINTAINED SPACIOUS HOME
Located in the village of Bethel, this home has nice woodwork, hardwood floors, large kitchen with family room, dining room, sunny living room, four bedrooms, two baths. In-law apartment, barn. Two car garage. $239,000

CHARMING NEW ENGLANDER
Charming home located south of Bethel. Beautiful wood floors throughout. Country kitchen, 3 bedrooms, 1.5 baths, attached shed. A great residential or vacation home. $155,000



PROMINENT HOME ON PARADISE HILL
Situated on over 2 acres with stunning western Maine mountain views. This hard to come by village home offers 5 oversized bedrooms, 3 1/2 baths, custom black walnut kitchen cabinets, fireplace, hardwood floors and a screened-in porch. $429,000

WILL[illegible]ER RETREAT
[illegible] $142,900

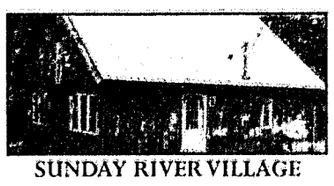


SONGO POND WATERFRONT LOT
[illegible] Songo Pond. Beautiful lot with great western mountain views, sunsets and year round accessibility. Don't miss out on this one. $169,000

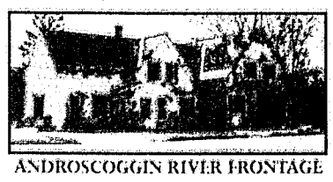
PR[illegible]ND VIEWS!
W[illegible] located on a 5.5 acre lot with [illegible] of Sunday River Ski Resort and surrounding mountains. Eclectic design with lots of [illegible], farm pond and great back space. $349,000

PARKWAY [illegible]AL – UNIT 4
Newly [illegible] office condominium located [illegible]. Excellent visibility. Create your own [illegible] layout - state of the art internet hookup, central air, ample paved parking, handicap accessibility. $137,900

NEWLY BUILT BETHEL HOME
[illegible] home located in Bethel village within [illegible] of town amenities. Three levels [illegible] baths plus spacious family room [illegible] Basement. $243,000



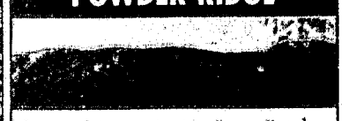
SUNDAY RIVER VILLAGE
Located only minutes from the trails and trolley stop, this four bedroom ski house is a must see! 1± acre treed lot. Great rental history. Reasonably priced at $269,000



ANDROSCOGGIN RIVER FRONTAGE
Spacious 4 bedroom village home located in Hanover with frontage on the Androscoggin River. Great mountain and river views, easily accessible. $97,000

EDEN RIDGE CONDOMINIUM
Newly listed 2 bedroom condominium located at desirable Eden Ridge. Within walking distance of the village and all amenities. 1-car Garage, fireplace, beautiful hardwood floors, ceramic tile, mountain views. $160,000

POWDER RIDGE



Located just minutes from Sunday River Ski Resort and the all new Sunday River Golf Club which promises to redefine mountain golf. Powder Ridge at Sunday River is the premier spot for your future vacation home or primary residence in the mountains.

Call for availability and pricing.

SUNSET HILL

LOT NUMBER	PRICE
01	$89,000
02	UNDER CONTRACT
03	SOLD
04	SOLD
05	$65,000
10	$53,000
11	UNDER CONTRACT
12	SOLD

RED HOUSE FARM VILLAGE

LOT NUMBER	PRICE
09	SOLD
10	$88,900
11	$85,900
12	UNDER CONTRACT
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14	UNDER CONTRACT
15	UNDER CONTRACT
16	SOLD
17	UNDER CONTRACT
18	SOLD
19	$72,900
20	$78,500
21	$74,900
22	SOLD

HARBOR HILL

LOT NUMBER	PRICE
01	$26,000
02	$24,000
03	$24,000
04	$24,000
05	$24,000
06	$23,000
07	SOLD
08	SOLD

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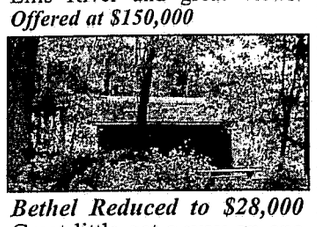

Bethel Reduced to $28,000
Great little get a way on one acre on the Flat Road in West Bethel. Excellent for a hunting camp or a ski house.

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French Hill, Albany
14.68 acres @ **$27,000;**

Lange Rd., Albany
20 acres @ **$65,000**

Steep Lane, Greenwood
20 acres @ **$59,000**

Rt. 2, Bethel
52 acres @ **$175,000**

Greenwood Rd., Peru
3 acre @ **$20,000**

Upton Road,
Unorganized Oxf, 30 acres
@ **$52,000**

Great "Fixer Upper on 3 acres" This property is a handy mans dream with several outbuildings utilized currently as shops. Interior has potential with large sunny family rooms and spacious kitchen. The home is complimented by a spacious yard and additional building lot. ***Offered at $149,000***

STONEHAM: Spectacular log!! This charming log on ten acres affords masterful views of the White Mountains as well as Kewaydin Lake. Expansive decks invite entertaining and easy access to x-country trails as well as snowshoeing trails make this the ideal winter getaway! This property is only thirty minutes from Sunday River & Mt. Abram! ***Offered at $225,000***

14 Main Street, Bethel - *in the Stone Mountain Mortgage Bldg.*

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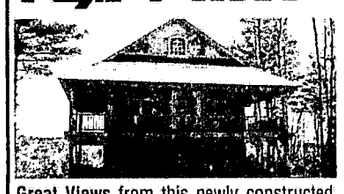
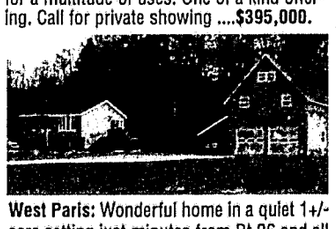


Great Views from this newly constructed post and beam home with a private hilltop setting in North Bridgton! 2 Levels of covered wraparound decks! 11+/- Acres! A Unique and Outstanding year-round primary or 2nd home in the midst of the Lakes and Mountains of Western Maine **$300,000**

33+- country acres with this wonderful former inn/restaurant on Maple Ridge in Harrison! An ideal location in the Heart of the Lakes Region with a large well maintained bldg. offering unlimited possibilities for a multitude of uses. One of a kind offering. Call for private showing ....**$395,000.**

WATER RIGHTS to large sandy beach on beautiful 8+- mile long Moose Pond in Bridgton with this adorable 4 season property! Nestled on a private dead end road setting this 'neat as pin' 3BR ,1and1/2 bath home has a delightful family room addition ,master suite and offers all of the Knights Hill amenities...clubhouse, boat slip, pool, tennis courts and beach. 2 miles from Shawnee Peak ski area! **$189,900**



West Paris: Wonderful home in a quiet 1+/- acre setting just minutes from Rt 26 and all points North and South. Home has 4 brs PLUS a small efficiency apartment! Detached garage also has a separate apartment unit overhead! Many options! Great location min. from major skiing, in the heart of fabulous 4 season recreation! **$168,000**

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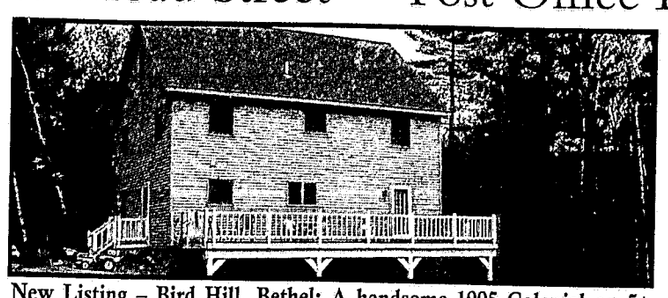


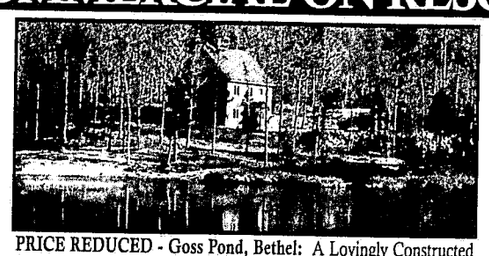
New Listing – Bird Hill, Bethel: A handsome 1995 Colonial on 5+ Coveted Acres sporting mesmerizing mountain views. Located only minutes to two area skiways & numerous waterways, What A Wonderful Primary Home or year round Vacation Getaway! A bright, open floorplan showcases high ceilings and wide pine flooring in the Living Room, a spacious adj Kitchen area featuring custom maple cabinetry, Dining Room, Den, 3 BRs, 2 full Baths, Full Basement & finished 3rd floor Loft area to accommodate the largest of gatherings. **Surely Won't Last @ $279,000!**

New Listing – Paradise Hill: A Most Tastefully Restored Vintage Farmhouse Is Situated In A Sought-After Locale... Your family will enjoy country living w/convenient Bethel Village amenities right around the corner. Offering a fetching interior w/a striking, tasteful color scheme where extensive renovations & additions have been newly completed – A spacious bright country Kitchen w/pantry adjoins a lovely Dining Room w/woodstove & welcoming Living Room. A large enclosed front porch serves as a second seasonal Living Room area. A new spacious Family Room & new Bath complete the first floor. 4 upper level BRs & additional Bath are newly painted, floored, or carpeted. A brand new foundation & new Daylight Basement offer even more living/work-out/storage space. New OFHW heating system, town water & sewer. **In All, The Very Best Of All Worlds – Old World Charm Coupled With Vital Modern Improvements Make This Home The One To Purchase @ $239,900!**

New Listing – Bethel: Approached By a Long Winding Drive, this exceptionally constructed Contemporary Home is enveloped with majestic mtn vistas. Sit ever so close to SR Skiway, you will marvel at the bright, spacious int glistening in westerly exposure. An abundance of specialty windows allow the beauty of the natural surroundings to be enjoyed within this incredible dwelling. Offering a custom natural cherry Kitchen w/rich granite countertops, a massive GR w/adj Sun Porch & separate deck area, exotic hardwood flooring, elegant raised panel cherry doors, 4 BRs inclusive of 2 Suites, 3½ baths, Den, Office, FR, 2 Fireplaces, 2 Car Garage, Workshop...**A Distinctive Offering @ $625,000**

PLEASE VIEW OUR COMMERCIAL ON RESORT SPORTS NETWORK (RSN) CHANNEL 7!

Ed & Mary-Jo Kennett have been ranked #1 Broker in Sales in Oxford County for 2001 and 2002 and 2003*



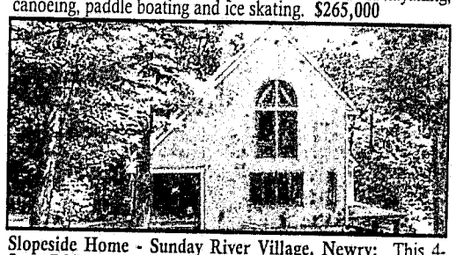
PRICE REDUCED - Goss Pond, Bethel: A Lovingly Constructed 1994 Chalet sits at the edge of Goss Pond encompassing over 200' of waterfront incl of a sandy beach. Silhouetted by a mtn backdrop, country woodlands, & the beauty of a reflective pond, this 3 BR Home offers a convenient 1 BR in-law dwelling. A det'd 2-Car Gar completes this offering. Canoe, Rowboat, Paddleboat, Kayak, Ice Skate & Hike up Little Egypt Mtn while being sit'd only mins to SR & Mt Abram Ski Resorts, & Bethel Vill. **Don't Miss Out - $209,000!**

PRICE REDUCED - Goss Pond, Bethel: This beautiful waterfront log home is sit upon an idyllic 1.2+/- ac parcel with 395+/- feet of waterfrontage. Conven loc to skiways, it offers 5 BRs, 2 Baths (incl of a whirlpool tub), & a rich, woodsy log & V-matched pine int w/stone fp. Kit, Dng Area & LR merge nicely & access a lg ext deck which sports Goss Pond & Little Egypt Mtn views. A 3-lvl flr pln allows private lvg spaces w/a daylight lwr lvl FR. The pond area is ideal for kayaking, canoeing, paddle boating and ice skating. **$265,000**

With over 123 Million Dollars in Volume of Sales and 1,389 Transactions, Kennett Realty, Inc. is appreciative of our #1 status. A big thank-you to our patrons.

New Listing – Sunday River Road: Come Across This Charming Country Farmhouse in the Most Coveted of Locales...situated amidst a rural mountain backdrop within 1 mile of Sunday River Ski Resort and numerous neighboring waterways, the charm of this freshly painted and spruced up dwelling is undeniable. Beyond its curbside appeal, you'll find a classic floorplan featuring a welcoming foyer and Living Room with cozy fireplace, adjoining kitchen, two to three bedrooms, 1 1/2 Baths, nooks, crannies, scenic porch areas. Comfortable, Yet Manageable in Size, It Is Exactly What You Envision When You Imagine Your Ideal Western Maine Retreat – **Certain to Sell Quickly at $169,000!**

Lake Christopher: A Delightful Country Cape, constructed in 1997, only 25' from Lake Christopher's pristine shores...Offering over 500' of waterfrontage on 1+/- acre w/dazzling westerly exposure, you'll enjoy a small sandy beach area & protected cove w/gradual entry to the lake. A wraparound deck serves as a scenic summertime living space & accesses an impressive open living concept int. Offering a handsome LR, modern Kit, 3 BRs, 3 Baths incl a private Master Suite & full daylight bsmt for expansion possibilities, you're sure to be impressed with the quality and details displayed. **$439,900**

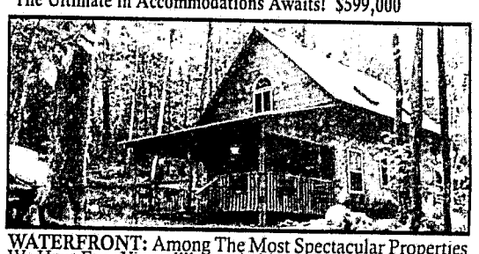


Slopeside Home - Sunday River Village, Newry: This 4-Story P&B Home is sit'd in the most coveted of Villages at SR Ski Resort. Close to ski trails & amen in a well est'd subdiv on a 1+/- acre. You'll marvel at its open flr pl showcasing impressive p&b work, inventive window treatments, parquet flg & professional craftsmanship. Showcasing a GR w/adj DR, 2nd stry balcony, 5 BRs, lg upper lvl Loft Area, 3 Baths, Game Rm, Hot Tub, Sauna, Deck, Porch, Nooks & Crannies. **The Ultimate in Accommodations Awaits! $599,000**

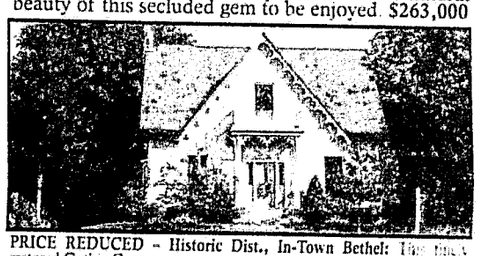
New Listing – Bryant Pond: Spectacular Mountain & Valley Views abound from this well maintained 1997 Cape. 2,800+/- sq. ft. of well thought out living space includes a lovely Living Room, Dining Area with bay windows, Kitchen with breakfast bar. 3-4 bedrooms, inclusive of a Master with walk-in closet and balcony, 2 Baths, daylite lower level. Large wraparound decks & screened in porch allow the natural beauty of this secluded gem to be enjoyed. **$263,000**

Bear River Rd: This turn of the last century's Victorian is drenched in charm. Strategically sit'd in an elegant setting w/mountainous vistas almost every direction. W/its own babbling brook, the ample 26 acre parcel upon which this house sits is simply put divine! A Kit the way it should be, spacious, warm & inviting, the ideal gathering place of the house. A run-on flr plan consisting of a parlor, handsome DR, large FR w/fp & massive wrap-around deck, special BRs, 2 stairwells - in all 12 rms, lg enough to accommodate most any size family yet cozy enough for two. Det'd garage & outbuilding also included. **$449, 900**

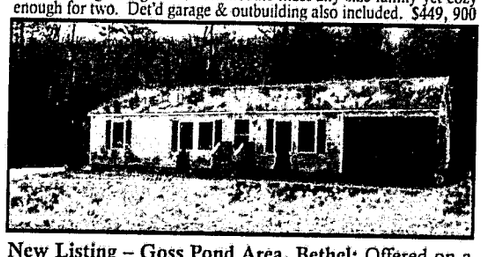
New Listing - Mill Hill Town House Across From The Bethel Inn: Newly constructed townhome is located in the most desirable of locales just "a five iron shot" away from the beautifully scenic Bethel Inn Golf Course & Country Club. Enjoy a sought-after Bethel Village lifestyle when you purchase this 3 Bedroom, 2 ½ Bath primary or vacation home getaway. Modern Kitchen, lovely Living Room and full walk-out Basement! **$299,000**



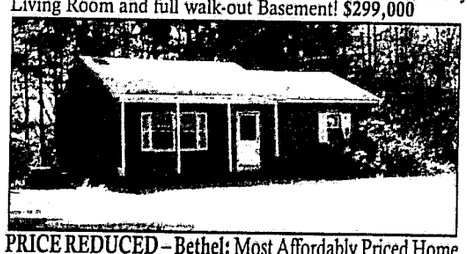
WATERFRONT: Among The Most Spectacular Properties We Have Ever Viewed!!! A veritable oasis in the countryside replete with scenic nature pond and off the Billings Hill Brook. Encompassed within 92.5+/- resplendent acres - All to Call Your Own! Included within this spectacular offering, an eye-catching Chalet, constructed in the year 2000, spacious and stately, features and open-air farm porch welcoming one to its dazzling post and beam interior. Set upon 92.5+/- acres, a steal at only **$189,900!**



PRICE REDUCED – Historic Dist., In-Town Bethel: This fine restored Gothic Gem w/ a prestigious award of historic restoration represents Bethel Common's 1st balloon frame home! A fetching dwelling its handsome ext. in complimented by prof. manicured grounds, walkways, entryways & eye-catching oversized windows. Exquisite int. offers a spacious flrpln w/ high ceilings, ornate trimwork, hardwd & ceramic tile. State-of-the-art Kit. adj FR/ DR w/ vintage tin ceiling, brand-new w/ custom Library w/ elaborate shelving, wainscoting & fireplace, sumptuous LR w/ fabulous windows. 3 BRs, 2 Baths & Garage. **$299,000**

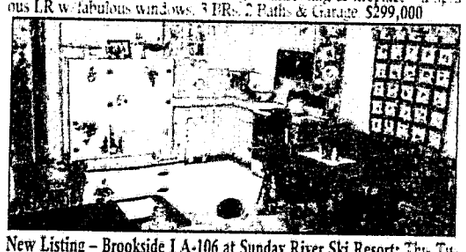


New Listing – Goss Pond Area, Bethel: Offered on a lovely 1.5 +/- acre house lot boasting warm, westerly exposure & scenic Little Egypt Mtn & pond views, this home is meticulous! Comprised on an open concept living area w/lovely Kit & LR, Master Suite w/specialty Bath, 2 add'l BRs, Den & Full Bsmt. A Quality Package At A Most Reasonable Price **$159,000**



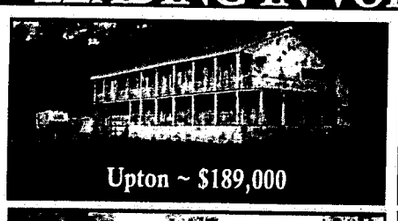
PRICE REDUCED – Bethel: Most Affordably Priced Home Awaits Your Viewing – A two bedroom, one bath with full basement floor plan is situated in desirable locale only minutes to Bethel Village and all area recreations. Conveniently located on town road offering town water, This Economical Dwelling Can Be Yours For Only ~~$139,000!~~ **$119,900**

Bethel: Beautifully Renovated & expanded 4 Bedroom Home exhibits open, spacious, cathedral ceilinged floor plan with attractive kitchen. Enhanced with skylights, white cabinets, indirect lighting, great gathering area, Dining Room and Living Room with maple flooring. Newly painted, newly restored, new septic, new well, basement. **Most Attractive & Affordably Priced At $109,900!**

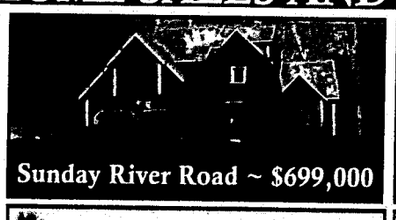


New Listing – Brookside I A-106 at Sunday River Ski Resort: This Two Bedroom, Sleep Eight Capacity Vacation Home is a Stand Out! Extensively customized thruout, you will love its renovated Kit design w/ an abundance of maple cabinetry, granite tiled counters & innovative use of space. Adjoining LR offers great entertainment area & many improvements. Many furnishings included/ antiques offered separately. First flr offers convenient private entry to unit. Slope or Ski-out access to Roadrunner Trail, incredible pool building with outdoor heated pool, hot tub saunas. **Only $164,900**

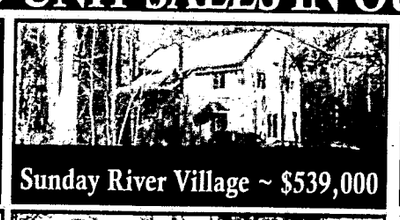
LEADING IN VOLUME SALES AND UNIT SALES IN OUR AREA FROM 1990 TO PRESENT!



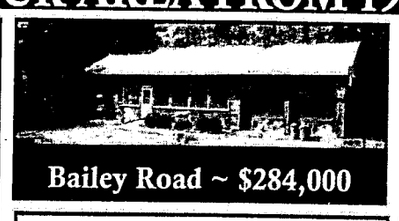
Upton ~ $189,000



Sunday River Road ~ $699,000

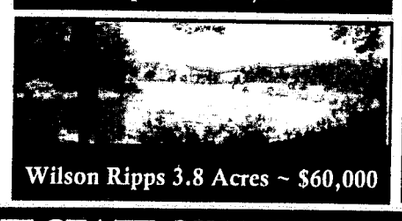


Sunday River Village ~ $539,000

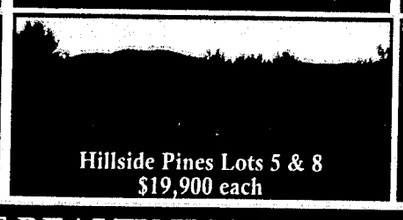


Bailey Road ~ $284,000

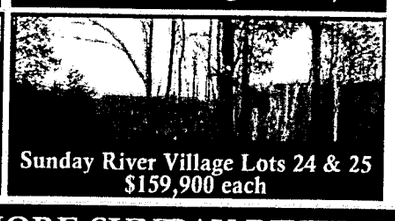
Bird Hill Road ~ $149,900



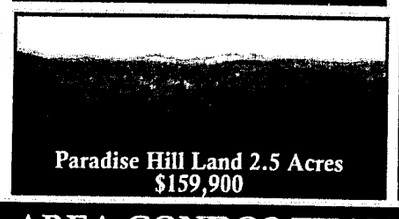
Wilson Ripps 3.8 Acres ~ $60,000



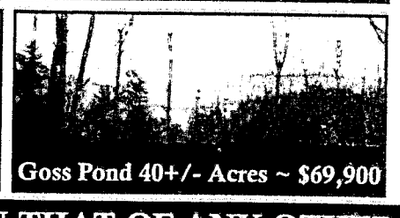
Hillside Pines Lots 5 & 8
$19,900 each



Sunday River Village Lots 24 & 25
$159,900 each



Paradise Hill Land 2.5 Acres
$159,900



Goss Pond 40+/- Acres ~ $69,900

THE STAFF OF KENNETT REALTY HAS SOLD MORE SUNDAY RIVER & AREA CONDOS THAN THAT OF ANY OTHER!

Beautiful 3 BR, Sleep 8 Capacity unit loc at the Jordan Grand Hotel, now available for Qtr Share Ownership! Great Ski-in/Ski-out loc w/spec views. Hotel amen incl outdr heated pool, Jacuzzis, Saunas, Health Club, Valet Parking, & more! Ownership Privileges incl space avail trading at any of American Skiing Company's Grand Resort Hotels. RCI membership avail.

Sunday River Estates #1: Situated only one mile or so to SR Ski Resort & within walking distance to neighboring restaurants pubs & ski shops, find this beautiful townhouse. A corner unit w/3 spacious BRs inclusive of a master suite w/loft area, 2 full baths, open concept living area w/newer carpeting & ceramic flooring, oak cabinets... Offered in pristine condition @ $145,900

New Listing - Chamberlain Condominium B-22: Beautifully maintained and stylishly decorated 2 Bedroom home sports lovely mountain and river views. Basking in sunny exposure, you'll love the spaciousness and warmth of this condo. A Value at $89,900!

New Listing - Eden Ridge 5-E: Sought after tri-level townhouse offers glorious mountain vista views and a convenient Bethel Village location. 2 Bedrooms, 1¾ Baths, fireplace, decks, furnishings, washer, dryer, garage. A Rare Find at $149,000!

SUNDAY RIVER SKI-IN/SKI-OUT CONDOS!

BROOKSIDE BUILDING I		
I-B-407	2 Bdrm/1 Bath	$145,000
I-A-106	2 Bdrm/1 Bath	$164,900
I-B-202	2 Bdrm/1 Bath	SOLD
I-A-202	2 Bdrm/1 Bath	SOLD
I-A-403	2 Bdrm/1 Bath	SOLD
I-B-405	2 Bdrm/1 Bath	SOLD
I-B-408	2 Bdrm/1 Bath	SOLD
I-B-302	2 Bdrm/1 Bath	SOLD
BROOKSIDE BUILDING II		
II-B-210	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	$61,900
II-B-109	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	SOLD
II-A-213	Studio/1 Bath	SOLD
II-A-208	Studio/1 Bath	SOLD
II-B-303	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	SOLD
II-B-213	Studio/1 Bath	SOLD
II-A-109	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	SOLD
II-B-107	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	SOLD
CASCADES		
B-18	Studio/1 Bath	SOLD
A-18	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	SOLD
C-16	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	SOLD
A-23	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	SOLD
C-7	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	SOLD

LOCKE MOUNTAIN		
D-3	4 Bdrm/3 ½ Bath	SOLD
FALL LINE		
N-109	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	$79,900
E-102	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	SOLD
E-116	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	SOLD
N-108	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	SOLD
N-214	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	SOLD
MERRILL BROOK		
I-A	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	SOLD
III-H	2 Bdrm/1¾ Bath	SOLD
SOUTHRIDGE		
B-6	3 Bdrm/1¾ Bath	$355,000
A-6	3 Bdrm/1¾ Bath	$389,000
F-1	3 Bdrm/2 Bath	SOLD
C-2	2 Bdrm/2 Bath	SOLD
E-3	2 Bdrm/2 Bath	SOLD
SUNRISE		
A-111	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	$84,900
NORTHPEAK		
II-111	2 Bdrm/1 Bath	SOLD
I-309	2 Bdrm/1 Bath	SOLD
I-203	2 Bdrm/1 Bath	SOLD
WHITE CAP		
B-208	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	$96,000
B-218	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	SOLD

JORDAN GRAND QUARTERSHARE		
141-A	Studio/1 Bath	$25,000
161-A	Studio/1 Bath	$28,900
161-B	Studio/1 Bath	$28,900
233-D	Studio/1 Bath	$29,900
251-D	Studio/1 Bath	$30,000
261-B	Studio/1 Bath	$31,000
144-C	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	$46,000
253-A	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	$47,000
124/126-A	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	$49,000
253-C	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	$49,000
243/245-A	2 Bdrm/2 Bath	$49,900
345/347-B	2 Bdrm/2 Bath	$49,900
362-D	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	$52,000
156-C	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	$52,900
254-B	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	$54,000
224/226-B	2 Bdrm/2 Bath	$55,000
253-B	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	$55,000
248/250-C	2 Bdrm/2 Bath	$59,900
111/113-A	2 Bdrm/2 Bath	$61,000
208/210-D	2 Bdrm/2 Bath	$61,900
162/164-C	2 Bdrm/2 Bath	$62,500
325-A	1 BR+Loft/1 Bath	$69,000
123-B	2 Bdrm/2 Bath	$105,000
240/242/244-A	3 Bdrm/3 Bath	$119,000
123-A	2 Bdrm/2 Bath	SOLD
GRAND SUMMIT QUARTERSHARE		
115-D	Studio/1 Bath	$13,900
121-C	Studio/1 Bath	$16,000
321-C	Studio/1 Bath	$17,000
101-B	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	$26,500
208/210-C	2 Bdrm/2 Bath	$33,000
188/190-C	2 Bdrm/2 Bath	$33,500
374-D	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	$34,500
188/190-D	2 Bdrm/2 Bath	$35,000
373-A	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	$36,000
227/229-D	2 Bdrm/2 Bath	$38,000
364-D	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	$38,500
366-B	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	$38,500
370-A	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	$38,900
260/262-A	2 Bdrm/2 Bath	$39,000
120/122-B	2 Bdrm/2 Bath	$41,000
173/175-A	2 Bdrm/2 Bath	$42,000
284/286-C	2 Bdrm/2 Bath	$42,500
289/291-B	2 Bdrm/2 Bath	$43,000
289/291-D	2 Bdrm/2 Bath	$43,000
284/286-C	2 Bdrm/2 Bath	$42,500
173/175-B	2 Bdrm/2 Bath	$46,900
285/287-D	2 Bdrm/2 Bath	$47,000
314-D	Studio/1 Bath	SOLD

LUXURIOUS TOWNHOMES		
BARKER BROOK		
#14	2 Br+Lft /1¾ Bath	$200,000
#11	2 Bdrm/1¾ Bath	SOLD
BETHEL INN FAIRWAY TOWNHOME		
#558-559	2 Bdrm/2 Bath	SOLD
CHAMBERLAINCONDOMINIUMS		
#B-22	2 Bdrm/1 Bath	$89,900
EDEN RIDGE CONDOMINIUMS		
#5-E	2 Bdrm/1¾ Bath	$149,000
45 MILL HILL TOWNHOMES		
#3	3 Bdrm/2½ Bath	$299,000
RIVERBEND		
#14	2 Bdrm/2 Bath	$109,900
#33	2 Bdrm/2 Bath	$115,000
#5	2 Bdrm/2 Bath	$115,000
#7	2 Bdrm/2 Bath	PENDING
#3	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	SOLD
#9	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	SOLD
#15	2 Bdrm/2 Bath	SOLD
SUNDAY RIVER ESTATES		
#1	3 Bdrm/2 baths	$145,900
#2	3 Bdrm/2 Bath	SOLD

Riverbend Condominium Units 33, 14 5 and 7 : Conveniently located on the Sunday River Road less than 2 miles to Sunday River Ski Resort and within close proximity to local eateries, snowmobile rentals and the center of Bethel. These 2 Bedroom, 2 Bath condominiums have been meticulously assembled with post and beam structures, their mortise and tenon joints hand cut. Striking interiors showcase Exposed Full Frames and countless special details resulting in very special dwellings to call "Home" – Come join the fun! **Unit #33 $115,000; Unit #5 $115,000; Unit #7 PENDING; Unit #14 $109,900**

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Obituaries

EVELYN G. BELL

Evelyn Gurschick Bell, 79, of Caron Lane, Auburn and formerly of Andover, died Sunday, May 9, 2004 at the Odd Fellows Home following a short illness.

She was born in Skowhegan on Dec. 1, 1924, the daughter of Leon and Mildred (Smith) Wilbur and was a graduate of Rumford High School.

She was the widow of Karl Gurschick, who died in July of 1978.

She was a housewife having raised her loving family, worked part-time selling deerskin gloves, and also worked for the Andover Water District and Library.

She taught Sunday School and was a member of the First Baptist Church in Rumford and the Andover Congregational Church. She was also a member of the Ladies Circle in Andover.

She enjoyed the "Olde Home Days," knitting, word puzzles, and writing in her journal.

She is survived by her five children, Karl Gurschick and his wife Dawn of Hermon, Keith Gurschick and his wife Terry of Windsor, Nova Scotia, Kathy Gurschick of Lewes, Del., Karen Crowley and her husband Jim of Westminster, S.C., and Kirby Gurschick and his wife Karen of Auburn; nine grandchildren; eight great-grandchildren; and several nieces and nephews. She was predeceased by her infant daughter, Kimberly; her second husband, Albert Bell; her brother, Everett; and her sister, Dorothy Harvey.

Graveside services will be held Friday, May 14 at 2 p.m., at Woodlawn Cemetery in Andover. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made in Evelyn's name to the National MS Society, c/o Karen Crowley, 1983 Highway 59, Westminster, SC 29693, or to the Odd Fellows Home, 309 Fairview Avenue, Auburn, ME 04210.

EVELYN MAE NICKERSON

Evelyn Mae (Perry) Nickerson died at the Ledgeview Living Center in West Paris on May 14, 2004.

She was born in Bath on Sept. 27, 1915, the first child of George R. and Eunice Madelyn Hart Perry. She was educated in Bath schools and graduated from Morse High School June 14, 1933. Following graduation, she was employed part-time for CMP for several years.

She worked for various families in the West Boothbay area as a domestic, during which time she met many interesting people, including Lowell Thomas; she also worked for her father at Perry's Diner in Bath.

She was married to Herbert E. (Nick) Nickerson on Aug. 2, 1946. The family lived in Brunswick and in Albany, N.Y., where her husband cooked at colleges, and they spent summers at The Chute Homestead in Naples, where Nick was the chef and Evelyn served as dining room hostess.

In 1953 the family moved to Hebron where Evelyn worked part-time as a clerk in the Post Office; she was very active there in the Mother's Club, Sunday school, Brownies and Girl Scouts. They moved to Bethel in 1960, where she was employed as the dining room supervisor at Gould Academy. After retiring from Gould Academy in 1971, she and her husband remained active working part-time cooking at Sunday River Inn, as custodians at the Bethel Historical Society, and as managers at Sudbury Village apartments. She was a Sunday school teacher at the Bethel United Methodist Church for several years.

Survivors include a son, George and his wife Danna of Bethel; a daughter, Linda and her husband Bruce McDormand of North Hampton, N.H.; one sister, Doris MacDonald; one brother, George R. Perry Jr.; three grandchildren, Scott McDormand and his wife Julie of Brookline, N.H.; Deborah and her husband Seth Murphy of Manchester, N.H. and Kate and her husband Chad Dumais of Livermore; and two great-grandsons, Tyler and Colby McDormand of Brookline, N.H. She was predeceased by her husband in 1993; her parents; and sister, Gertrude Stover.

Private graveside services will be held at the Riverside Cemetery, Bethel. In lieu of flowers, contributions in her memory may be made to the Bethel Historical Society Annual Fund, P.O. Box 12, Bethel, ME 04217

Thank You

I want to thank everyone that had anything to do with my "Surprise" retirement party. I was overwhelmed by all the people there and the cards sent. It was quite a trip for 22 years in a man's world. I was very blessed with all the gifts and money. Don't know where life will take me, but do know it will not be plowing "SNOW." I will not be "quitting at noon" because I don't even have to start. Guys you know what I mean. I'm still "picking up pennies" for my retirement fund. Big special thanks to: Boss - Jeff Littlehale and Family & DOT Crew, Daughter - Deb Luxton for her great big heart, always doing for others. Sons - Jody & Willie for help in supporting me. Husband - Joe for putting up with me for 44 years. Friends - Herbie & Bev for making our family circle complete.

Best of Luck to All...
THANK YOU, Freda Gaudreau

Card of Thanks

The family of Kenneth E. Mason would like to extend our sincere thanks to everyone for the cards, kind words, thoughts, and prayers during our recent loss.

Daisy Coolidge
Kenny, Allie & Family
Tony, Tonya & Family
Peter, Christen & Family
Denise, Joel & Family

Card of Thanks

Many thanks to all those who remembered me during my knee surgery and recuperation. Your thoughts, well wishes, gifts and visits are greatly appreciated.

Avery Angevine

WANTED:

A few more lawns to mow in the Bethel Village Area

Jack Chapman
824-2442

Annual Clean-Up of Middle Intervale Cemetery

Saturday, May 22 at 7am

Rain Date: Sunday, May 23

Hot News Tip?

Call 824-2444, or e-mail: news@bethelcitizen.com

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The family and friends of Celina Jodrey will be working in her gardens at her home on Vernon Street

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WARRANT FOR TOWN MEETING GILEAD, MAINE

Greetings:

In the name of the State of Maine, you are hereby directed to notify the inhabitants of the Town of Gilead to meet at the Town Hall on May 22, 2004, in the evening at 7:00 to act on the following articles to wit:

Article 1:
To choose a moderator for said meeting

Article 2:
To see if the town will vote to put in place a Planning Board and authorize the Selectmen to appoint a 5 member board with 2 alternates.

Article 3:
To have a public hearing to discuss proposed White Brook Estates Subdivision.

Given under our hands this 12th day of May AD 2004.

Fernand Corriveau, Paul Handlen, Mark Wigley

The Registrar of Voters will be at the Town Hall at 6:30pm on May 22, 2004 to correct the list of voters.

FREE FOOD!
SUNDAY RIVER MAINE BREWING Co.

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FEATURING: FACE PLANT 3-7PM
SATURDAY, MAY 22, 2004
2pm-Close
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Weddings

Mr. and Mrs. Scott Dutcher

Scott and Susan Dutcher were married April 28, 2004, at Hopewell Church in New York.

Scott is the son of Karan and David Dutcher.

Susan is the stepdaughter of Roy and Thelma Simmonds of Greenwood and daughter of Raymond Chapman of Gilead.

They are residing in Stormsville, N.Y.

Engagements

Sysko — Schauffler

Jim and Carrie Sysko of Newry and Gail and Carl Cutting of Ft. Myers, Fla., are pleased to announce the engagement of their daughter, Anna Louise Sysko of Okemos, Mich., to Brendan Jahn Schauffler, also of Okemos, son of Cheryl Sahauffler of Bay Mills, Mich., and the late Robert Schauffler Jr., formerly of Auburn.

The bride-to-be is a student of Audio Production at Lansing Community College, Lansing, Mich.

The future groom is a graduate of the University of Maine at Orono with a B.S. in psychology and is working in the mental health field as well as for Great Lakes Renewable Energy Association.

The couple plan to be married on Aug. 14 at 1:30 p.m. at Stony Brook Field in Newry.

It's an 80th Birthday Open House
to Honor
Lee Swan
Monday, May 31, 2004
from 1:30-3pm
at Bear River Grange Hall
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